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FRANCE.

Proceedings of the Corps Legislatif—The Radicals Raise a Storm.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—In the Corps Legislatif to-day the Opposition submitted interpellations on the prorogation of the Chambers last September, on the action of the authorities in the Aubin and Rismorie affairs, and in the troubles of last June in Paris. Deputy RASPAIL submitted an interpellation on the assassination of citizens, and demanded the impeachment of the Ministers. The introduction of these measures created much excitement, and the proceedings were very stormy.

Prince METTERNICH leaves for Vienna to-night to confer with the Emperor of Austria.

Another Rumored Resignation—The Emperor's Speech.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—It is again rumored that the Prince DE LA TOUR D'AUVERGNE, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, has resigned.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The *Morning Telegraph* (Liberal,) to-day has an editorial article on the recent speech of the Emperor NAPOLEON at the opening of the sessions of the Corps Legislatif. The writer says the speech is liberal alike in promise and in tone. If it does not comply with the demands of the party of the Left, it announces that a new series of liberal reforms is about to begin.

PARAGUAY.

The Allies Out of Provisions—Horseflesh Rates—No Advance by the Main Body.

LISBON, Nov. 30.—The mail steamer from Rio Janeiro arrived to-day. Reports from Paraguayan sources state that only the vanguard of the Allied army was moving toward the new positions of General LOPEZ. The main army was still prevented from marching by want of provisions. The scarcity was so great that the men were compelled to eat horseflesh.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Trouble Threatened in Ireland—Extreme Measures to be Taken by the Government.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—Information from the secret agents of the Government leads to the belief that a rising is threatened in Ireland. In the Cabinet the question of continuing the suspension of the writ of *habeas corpus* has been considered. It is certain that extreme measures will be adopted shortly.

DOMINICAN ANNEXATION.

The London Times on the Question—The Results Favorable to all Concerned.

LONDON, Nov. 30.—The *Times*, referring to the possible cession of San Domingo to the United States says: "From the present aspect of affairs we should be disposed to expect the completion of a treaty to that effect. Such a bargain would be beneficial not only to the parties concerned, but to Europe and the world. The Americans stand to lose but little, while they might gain a great deal. The Island ought to become a new emporium for trade and in the creation of such commercial stations no people are more deeply interested than ourselves."

CUBA.

Reported Disabling of the Gunboats in New-York—Great Excitement in Havana.

HAVANA, Nov. 30.—There is much excitement in this city in commercial circles over the intelligence received from the United States that that Government had caused the new Spanish gunboats in New-York harbor to be disabled in such a manner as to prevent their sailing. The steamship *De Soto* sailed to-day for New-York.

PACIFIC COAST.

A Democratic Fiasco in San Francisco—Knee the Switchman—The Route to the Colorado—Search for an Infected Ship at Sea.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Nov. 30.—The friends of Rev. Dr. W. A. SCOTT met last evening at his residence for the purpose of organizing a new church, to be called the St. John's Church, of San Francisco, Cal. A large amount of money was subscribed, and a committee appointed to perfect the organization. A meeting was held last night for the purpose of reorganizing the Democratic Party in this city, which was largely attended by the leading members of the party. After a stormy session, the meeting broke up without taking any definite action. The charge of manslaughter against BERNARD KANE, the switchman at Simpon Station, on the Western Pacific Railroad, at the time of the disaster, has been dismissed and KANE discharged. The teas brought by the steamer *Japan*, and intended to be shipped East over the railroad, are detained in this city, probably because the cars have not the regular Custom House locks. The exploring party under Lieutenants WHEELER and LOCKWOOD, sent out by General ORD, to discover a route through the White Pine country to the Colorado River, have returned. They report having found a good route, abounding with timber and water, with indications of rich mineral deposits. A full report of the expedition will soon be published. The information is considered important.

The revenue cutter *Wyandotte* sailed to-day in search of the ship *Orion*, from New-York for San Francisco. Her crew, with the exception of four, have been reported as down with the scurvy. The ship *Arkwright*, which arrived here several days ago, was boarded Nov. 15, in latitude 32° 18' North, longitude 130° 18' West, by boat from the *Orion*, when the condition of the crew was represented and provisions furnished. The Captain of the *Arkwright* failed to report the affair until to-day, when the authorities immediately dispatched the cutter in search of the distressed ship.

SOUTHERN WAR LEAGUES.

An Important Decision in Boston—Lease of a Plantation Not an Act of "Commercial Intercourse."

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—In the Supreme Judicial Court, to-day, a decision was given in the case of THOMAS KENSHAW vs. ALBERT H. KELSEY in favor of the plaintiff. This was an action for rent of a plantation in Mississippi, leased during the war, by a citizen of Mississippi to a citizen of Massachusetts, and for corn used on the plantation. The defendant had begun to cultivate a crop when he was driven off by the guerrillas. The defense before the jury was a surrender and cancellation of the lease, but the plaintiff having obtained a verdict the case was taken before the full Court upon the question of the legality of the contract. The Court decided in favor of the plaintiff, upon the ground that "the lease of a plantation on the Mississippi, and the delivery of corn thereon were not acts of commercial intercourse, nor prohibited by the law of nations, nor by the act of Congress and the proclamation of the President."

THE BIBLE IN SCHOOL.

The Controversy in Cincinnati—The Argument of Nov. 29.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Nov. 30.—The following points were made yesterday by Mr. W. M. RAMSEY, in his argument before the Superior Court for the plaintiff, in the matter of enjoining the School Board from expelling the Bible from the schools.

To show themselves entitled to the relief prayed for, the plaintiffs must establish two propositions; first, that religious instruction in the contemplation of the law is an essential element of our common school system of education; second, that the Board of Education of the City of Cincinnati has not power to prohibit all religious instruction in the schools of the city. The propositions will be met, it may fairly be anticipated, by first, a general denial; second, by the affirmation that, irrespective of any action on the part of the School Board, religious instruction is unlawful. I respectfully submit that religious instruction is an essential part of our common school system of education, he says, but I affirm with entire confidence, as a proposition of law, that had the Constitution simply declared that it should be the duty of the Legislature to establish schools, the construction would be precisely the same; that religious instruction would be as clearly contemplated as it is now by the express language of that instrument. He then quoted the customs of public schools in other countries, and the grants of State authority for the establishment of public schools in the United States—Athens and Oxford, Ohio, among other instances—to show that religious instruction was contemplated. In conclusion he said these resolutions forbid all religious instruction. As I before remarked, they are in substance a repudiation not only of Christianity, but of all religion in the broadest sense of which the term is susceptible. They clearly constitute such a case as was supposed by the Court in pronouncing its opinion in the Girard will case. I desire to adopt and submit to the Court as part of my argument every word of the great argument of Mr. WEBSTER in that case; an argument that was not answered or denied by the Court so far as its conclusions were concerned. The holding of the Court that Christianity might be taught in the Orphan College by pious laymen avoided his conviction without controverting his premises.

The argument occupied three hours.

Judge STALLO spoke two hours yesterday for the defense, and will conclude to-day. He said Christianity was no part of the law of the State; for if it were, certain duties peculiarly Christian must be enjoined upon, or certain rights, which none but Christians possess. The observance of certain virtues usually called Christian is enjoined by the State—not because they are Christian, but because they are essential to the good order of society. The State enforces no duty as Christian duty. The Christian holds no civil right or preference over persons professing other creeds or no creed. The Jew, by the same rule and the same remedies for redress, can sue and hold property, office and vote. His synagogue is exempt from taxation, the same as the Christian's church. He quoted the case of Bloom against Richards, 2d Ohio Rep., sec. 387. He contended that no power over things spiritual had ever been delegated to Government. Christianity was no part of the common law of Ohio now, as was the case with Massachusetts, New-York and Virginia once, but not in Ohio to-day, thanks to Protestant ROGER WILLIAMS, Catholic CHARLES CARROLL and Infidel THOMAS JEFFERSON. To show the diversity of opinion that expelled Christians on the authority of the New Testament, he quoted from Rev. SAMUEL RICHARDSON'S book. He said it was not a little curious to see how nearly this summary of Presbyterian divines agrees with certain propositions advanced by a Jesuit father of this city in a recent lecture on the Bible, though the conclusions of the two are widely divergent. The Legislature of Ohio cannot judge between the two; nor can the Board of Education of the City of Cincinnati be the judge. The honest convictions of both of these memorials should be respected by the State of Ohio.

RAILWAY LITIGATION.

The Susquehanna Case Again Postponed—The St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute Railroad.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 30.—The Albany and Susquehanna Railroad case was further postponed till to-morrow on the urgent appeal of the counsel for Messrs. GOULD and FISK. Judge BARNARD telegraphed to Judge SMITH requesting a postponement, stating that DAVID DUDLEY FIELD was engaged before him in the Vanderbilt suit, and that one suit or the other must be postponed.

The counsel for all the interests opposed to the Erie Company earnestly urged immediate trial.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 30.—In the cicuimant suit of OARLEY and others vs. The St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute Railroad, recently tried at Bellville, Ill., in which a verdict was rendered by a jury for the plaintiff, as reported, the claim is for the occupancy of some coal lands belonging to the Company. The plaintiffs claim under some lease or contract alleged to have been made by the old Terre Haute and Alton Company with certain parties. The questions involved are purely legal so far as the present corporation is concerned, and the case was tried by the Court last Spring, and decided in favor of the defendants on every point. The plaintiffs had a new trial by jury, which resulted last week in a verdict in their favor without regard to the law. The case will be appealed.

POLITICAL.

The Proposed Tennessee Convention—Brownlow's Position.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 30.—Governor BROWNLOW is out in a published call upon Jos. A. MABRAY, the present publisher and proprietor of the *Whig*, a Conservative organ, to run as a candidate for the Constitutional Convention, the avowed object of which is the removal of the entire Republican Judiciary and the amendment of the Constitution on a Democratic basis.

The Southern Elections—Mississippi and Texas—The Alabama Legislature.

NEW-ORLEANS, La., Nov. 30.—The elections for the Constitution and for State officers in Mississippi and Texas commenced to-day. In Mississippi the election lasts two days, and in Texas until Friday evening. There will be no count until the elections close, and consequently nothing definite will be known regarding the results until the polling is over. Dispatches received indicate quiet elections in both States.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 30.—The *Avalanche's* Holly Springs special dispatch says: "About 5,000 votes were polled to-day, nearly all by blacks, and for ALCORN. The whites vote to-morrow. Oxford reports DENT ahead. Coffeeville gives DENT 200 majority. All is quiet."

ANOTHER DISPATCH.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 30.—The Mississippi election returns are meagre. A Columbus dispatch says: "The election passed off quietly. The negroes voted heavily for ALCORN. About 2,000 votes were polled. At Marion, the negroes voted for DENT; also at Tripoli. At Guntown and Verona, out of 300 votes DENT got 200. At Water Valley both whites and negroes voted; DENT got 430 votes and ALCORN one vote. To-morrow will probably increase DENT's majority to 700. Nothing further has yet been received.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Nov. 30.—In the Legislature to-day the business was generally of a local character. In the House a bill was referred to make grand jurymen swear that they had never belonged to the Ku-Klux-Klan. The bill to allow the Lieutenant-Governor, Speaker of the House and the Attorney-General to appoint the Mobile municipal officers was recommitted.

The Avondale Fund—The Treasurer's Report.

SCRANTON, Penn., Nov. 30.—Mr. H. GAYLOR, Treasurer of the Avondale Relief Fund, reports through the *Morning Republican* that the total receipts to Nov. 27, inclusive, were $68,206 01, which is disposed of as follows: In railroad bonds, par value, seven per cent., $28,071 01; in United States Sixes of 1881, $20,931 25; deposited in four banks in Luzerne County, $24,003 30; paid to the Disbursing Committee and Assistant Treasurer, $195,567; balance in the hands of the Treasurer, $7,213 33.

THE NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE.

Preparations for the Annual Meeting at Richmond—Hospitality to the Delegates.

RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 30.—A large number of delegates of the National Board of Trade arrived this afternoon, representing the Boards of New-York, Philadelphia, Boston, St. Louis, Louisville, Portland, Chicago, Baltimore, Milwaukee and other cities. Committees of merchants have been appointed by the Board of Trade here to extend private hospitalities to the visitors, and many of them have been taken as guests to private houses. There seems to be a general feeling among the people to welcome the delegates as the first national body that has met here for years. The hall of the State Capitol has been tendered for their sessions, which begin to-morrow noon.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—General WALBRIDGE has gone to Richmond, and Hon. GEORGE OPDYKE, of New-York, is here on his way to the same city to attend the annual Convention of the National Board of Trade. Associated with Mr. OPDYKE are Messrs. S. B. CHITTENDEN and J. S. T. STRANAHAN, who have preceded him a few hours.

FIRES.

Heavy Loss in Topeka, Kansas—A Pough-keepsie Brewery Burned.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 30.—The total loss by the fire in Topeka, Kansas, on Sunday night, was $75,000. The insurances, $35,000, were in the following offices: Republic, of Chicago, $2,000; Home, of Topeka, $2,000; Home, of New-York, $5,000; Western, of Buffalo, $3,000; State, of Cleveland, $2,000; Manhattan, of New-York, $1,000; Ætna, of Hartford, $6,000; Phœnix, of Hartford, $2,000; Yonkers, of New-York, $3,000; Lehner, of Chicago, $500; Underwriters', of New-York, $500.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Nov. 30.—JAMES POSTER'S brewery, north of this city, was entirely destroyed by fire last night. The loss and insurance have not been ascertained.

Disastrous Conflagration in Jackson, Mich—One Man Killed by an Explosion—Other Losses.

DETROIT, Nov. 30.—A disastrous fire broke out in Jackson, Mich., to-night. It originated from an attempt by a man to draw gasoline near a lamp. Among the sufferers are W. JACKSON, grocer; HOLMES & AVERILL, tobacco and liquors; MRS. BEABRADE, millinery and fancy goods; KELLY & CASEY, boots and shoes; A. A. BLISS, crockery; A. BAILEY, shoe leather; FRANK HURST & Co., hardware; BLOOMFIELD & Co., crockery. The losses in the upper stories include Jackson Hall; MRS. HOVEY, sewing machine agency; MRS. CURTISS, millinery; two photograph establishments and various offices. The loss is estimated at $200,000; insurance probably light. A man named RUSSIAN, while assisting in removing goods, was fatally injured by the explosion of some powder.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—WORDEN'S soap factory, at Madison, Wis., was destroyed by fire this morning, with its contents. Loss $12,000; fully insured.

THE WEST.

Railway Employes—Connection With Certain Interests Forbidden.

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, held in this city a few days ago, a resolution was adopted that no officer or employe of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad shall have or hold any interest in any other railroad, express company, transportation company, manufactory, coal mine, steel or iron works, insurance company or any other kind of business which contributes to the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, unless by the unanimous permission of the Board of Directors.

Pension Frauds Detected—Arrest of the Perpetrator.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 30.—JESSE T. REYNOLDS, a lawyer and claim agent of Watertown, Jefferson County, was arrested to-day and brought before United States Commissioner PROTHINGHAM, of this city charged with forging pension papers. In one case, it is charged he had drawn for two years the pension of a deceased person. The fraud is claimed to have been developed through the new system adopted by some pension agents, under the approval of the Department, of sending checks directly to the pensioners instead of forwarding them through claim agents. The accused was held in $10,000.

Sale of Steamships in Boston—A New-York Firm the Purchaser.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 30.—The steamships *Ontario* and *Erie*, built two years ago for the Boston and Liverpool line, but which have been lying idle at the wharf nearly all the time since their construction, were sold at auction to-day. The bidding ran very low, and they were finally sold for $266,317 each. The purchaser was EDWARD F. WHITE, of the firm of WHITE & HASKELL, of New-York. The original cost of both steamers was about $1,500,000.

Commutation of Sentence of Death—David Burke's Case.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Governor HOFFMAN has commuted the death sentence of DAVID BURKE, convicted of murder in Queens County, to imprisonment for life. The prisoner was twice tried, the first jury having failed to agree. Judge GILBERT, who presided at the first, and Judge JOSEPH BARNARD, who presided at the second trial, united in recommending the commutation.

A Strike in New-Hampshire—The Cocheco Company's Weavers Out.

DOVER, N. H., Nov. 30.—The Cocheco Company's weavers have struck in anticipation of the proposed reduction of twelve per cent. in their wages, which was to take effect to-day. The men turned out yesterday, and gave quite a holiday appearance to the streets, and in the evening held a mass meeting.

The Female Students in Hospital—Separate Offices.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—At a meeting of the Managers of the Pennsylvania Hospital, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to confer with the medical and surgical staff of the hospital to provide for separate clinical instruction to female students of medicine on at least one day in each week, and that upon the completion of such an arrangement, the other clinical lectures be confined to classes composed of males only.

Miscellaneous Telegrams.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Nov. 30.—JOHN DORSEY, of Williamsburg, recently convicted at Northampton of wife-murder, was yesterday sentenced to imprisonment for life.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 30.—Captain MCLELLAN, of the brig *George Burnham*, at Holmes' Hole, committed suicide yesterday morning in the cabin of his vessel, by shooting himself. No cause is assigned for the act.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—A Committee of the City Government has been appointed to make suitable arrangements for the obsequies at Salem of the remains of the late GEORGE PEABODY.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 30.—Labor in Amoy, Downing & Co.'s carriage manufactory has been reduced from ten to eight hours, and the wages reduced pro rata.

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—At Newtown, yesterday, GEORGE F. ALLEN, a drover, belonging in Worcester, and his hired man, CHRISTOPHER CARTER, were arrested for stealing a drove of seventeen cattle, owned by J. DONOVEN.

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 30.—JOHN BULL COURTNEY, an Englishman, who is said to have been formerly a correspondent of the New-York World, was arrested in this city yesterday on a charge of bigamy and committed in default of $5,000 bail to answer.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 30.—JAS. BAKER, an engineer on the Boston and Albany Railroad, was knocked from the train by the bridge tonight at Warren, and drowned in the river.

WASHINGTON.

The Sinking Fund and Special Purchase Bonds—The Circuit Judgeships—Expenditures of the Navy Department—Treasury Reforms—Changes in the New-York Custom House.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The following is a complete resumé of the operations of the Sinking Fund since it was first instituted: Between the 11th of May and the 20th of November there was paid for United States six per cent. bonds, on account of the Sinking Fund and for the fund held subject to order of Congress, interest and premium paid thereon, $60,288,370 18. The Treasurer now holds on account of the fund named $75,478,000 in United States six per cent. stocks. The dividends on the stocks so held will not an income to the Treasury of $4,528,720 per annum. There has already been received in these bonds $704,304 in gold, which has been invested in United States bonds, representing $767,000 held as above. If the same rate of purchase were hereafter maintained and the interest accruing invested semi-annually in like bonds, the whole national debt would be paid off in less than thirteen years. The following is a recapitulation of the purchases for the two funds for November:

Sinking fund, principal	$2,301,300 00
Premium	303,169 19
Interest in coin	35,923 75
Special purchase bonds, principal	10,488,000 00
Premium	1,445,891 80
Interest in coin	171,071 61
Total principal	12,884,300 00
Total premium	1,748,954 99
Total interest in coin	196,995 36
Total cost of sinking fund bonds	2,319,326 94
Total cost of special purchase bonds	11,938,473 41
Total cost of purchases for the month	14,453,950 35

REVENUE RECEIPTS.

The Internal Revenue receipts for the month of November are $13,145,870 78, an increase over the corresponding month last year of $2,504,356 12.

THE CIRCUIT JUDGESHIPS.

The Attorney-General presented at the Cabinet meeting to-day a full list of the candidates for the several Circuit Judgeships, together with all the letters of recommendation; but so many of the latter had not been examined that it was found impossible to consider the subject to-day, and it was decided to hold a special Cabinet session to-morrow for that purpose.

THE NAVAL EXPENDITURE.

The statement in the *World* of to-day regarding the expenditures of the Navy Department is a wholesale and reckless falsehood, not having even the semblance of truth to sustain it. The figures of the Navy Department, which are accessible to all correspondents alike, show that the average monthly expenditures since March last are much below those of the corresponding months under the previous Administration, and this notwithstanding the amount of work done had been trebled. So far from having nearly exhausted the appropriations for the current fiscal year, it is a fact that at the close of the first fiscal quarter, to wit, Sept. 30, the appropriations for the current year remained almost intact, while several of the Bureaus had yet an unexpended balance from 1868.

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE.

The Ways and Means Committee at their meeting to-day did little but talk over the freelist additions "discussively." They called on the Statistical Bureau for the figures showing the amounts received as duties for the fiscal year 1869, on certain articles, which it is proposed to add to the list. Ordinarily these figures would be some months in preparation, but they will be furnished immediately for the use of the Committee.

THE NEW ASSISTANT POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

JAMES W. MARSHALL, of New-Jersey, has been appointed First Assistant Postmaster-General, in place of GEO. EARLE, Esq., who prefers to vacate the position and resume the practice of law, much to Mr. CRESWELL'S regret, who found him a most trustworthy assistant, and had great confidence in him, as an intimate personal friend for many years. Mr. MARSHALL is a native of Virginia, and resided there until recently, when he removed to New-Jersey. He is spoken of as a gentleman of very superior qualifications for the position he has assumed.

THE NAVAL LINE AND STAFF.

The Naval Board of officers, charged with investigating and, if possible, reporting a plan of adjusting the differences between the staff and line officers in the navy, which shall be satisfactory to the parties concerned, have almost finished their labors, and will present the result of their deliberations during the coming week. It is understood that the commission have agreed on the rank which the higher officers of the staff shall be allowed to attain, but that so far as the lower grades are concerned, there is no possible chance of any unanimity, and the Board will so report to the Secretary of the Navy. This will have the effect of throwing the whole question back to the Department and to Congress, but it is probable that the executive and legislative branches will accept the conclusions of the Board, and regulate the other grades as to them seems best.

TREASURY REFORMS.

Several of the Treasury bureaus have been reorganized during the last two weeks. It is not at all improbable that some radical reforms will be recommended during the next session of Congress. The advisability of abolishing the temporary appointment system and of providing by law for each clerk, is under consideration, and it is possible that some such plan of regulating these offices will be submitted to Congress by Secretary BOUTWELL, and the heads of the different bureaus have managed to get the work of the Treasury so well in hand that a return of the character might be more easily effected now than at any time since the war. The greatest difficulty in the way is the additional labor which Congress imposes on the Department by calling for official figures on all sorts of subjects, the preparation of which necessarily consumes time and labor and withdraws clerks from their regular duties.

THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF CLEVELAND.

Many of the statements which have been made in reference to the affairs of the Second National Bank of Cleveland convey erroneous impressions of the exact condition of that institution. The original capital stock of the bank amounted to $600,000. The directors contemplated the increase of this stock to $1,000,000, and had made deposits of several hundred thousand dollars for this purpose. It was these deposits and not the original stock that the defaulting cashier BURRIL used and made away with. The directors have made the deficit good, and will increase the capital stock of the bank according to their original intentions.

THE NEW-YORK CUSTOM HOUSE.

The following changes, which have just been made in the New-York Custom House, are approved by the Secretary of the Treasury: M. GARLAND, to be Deputy Collector of the Seventh Division, *vice* RUFUS KING, removed; S. H. CLARK, to be Storekeeper, *vice* GAYLOR, promoted; G. N. TAYLOR, to be Night Inspector, *vice* F. A. DUTTON resigned, and C. C. NARNEY, to be Inspector, *vice* H. T. EARON removed.

THE M'GARRAHAN CASE.

Secretary COX has taken the MCGARRAHAN case to the Supreme Court on a writ of error. The mandamus granted by the Supreme Court of this District, directing him to issue a patent, was granted by Justices OLIN and FRAZER, last Summer, without any notification whatever to the Secretary. He then, by counsel, entered a motion to vacate the order, and gave opportunity for the full Court to act. Several postponements of the case having secured the Secretary withdrew his motion to vacate the order, and took out a writ of error. The statement that the Secretary will now be obliged to issue patents to MCGARRAHAN is erroneous, since the Secretary of the Interior has nothing to do with issuing patents, a fact which the Courts of Districts strangely enough ignored. Land patents are entered by the President, and countersigned by the Commissioner of Land Office, and the Secretary holds that he can no more be compelled to issue land patent by mandamus than to appoint a Minister to England under a similar writ.

PERSONAL.

Among the arrivals to-day are Senator MORRILL, of Vermont, and Congressmen H. H. STARKWEATHER, of Connecticut, and T. W. MCNEELY, of Missouri.

EUROPEAN NEWS BY MAIL.

ARRIVAL OF THE PEREIRE AND SCOTIA.

The French steamship *Pereire*, from Havre Nov. 19, and Brest Nov. 20, and the Cunard steamship *Scotia*, from Liverpool Nov. 20, and Queenstown Nov. 21, both reached this port yesterday. The latest news at hand by these vessels is later by two days than was received Saturday by the *City of Brussels*.

KINGDOM OF ITALY.

Birth of an Heir to the Throne—Public Rejoicings—Popular Sympathy With the Royal Family.

Naples (Nov. 14) Correspondence of the Times.

The Princess progresses well, and that gives pleasure to everyone in Naples, but the *fêtes* will not be held, perhaps, for another fortnight. The preparations were not completed. How could they be, indeed, in a country where everything is put off till to-morrow? But, apart from this, perhaps it was deemed more delicate and graceful to defer the great rejoicing until the convalescence of the Princess and the King. Her Royal Highness, as I have already told you, up to Wednesday evening drove daily in the Chiaja. On Tuesday night she was at the San Carlo, on Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, she was dining with a small party of her friends, and at 10:30 o'clock became the mother of a fine male child. There were present on the occasion Prince HUMBERT, the Duchess of GENOA, Prince CARIGNANO, the Marchess DE MONTERENO, one of the ladies in waiting, and the medical attendants, General MENABREA, who, as Notary of the kingdom, should have been present, had not arrived, as the event was not expected for several days. As soon as the curtain dropped at San Carlo the welcome intelligence was communicated to the audience, and loud and joyous was the applause; the National Hymn was twice called for, and those who were present describe the scene as being equal to any of those which were witnessed and can never be forgotten in the early part of the reign of VICTOR EMMANUEL as King of United Italy. A gentleman, by no means favorable to monarchy, said it reminded him of the times of GARIBALDI, and he thought that no city in Italy could possibly have made a greater demonstration of attachment to the reigning house. On Friday Naples appeared to give itself a holiday. Early in the morning crowds thronged around the palace, and some of the streets were almost impassable. As early as 8 o'clock military bands promenaded the city, followed, of course, by masses of the people. It was a sad day of *quaidna*, who will long remember the birth of the Prince of Naples. On the Bourse there were the same demonstrations of joy. Just before fixing the fate of exchange, the serious business of the day, the cry was raised of "*Viva il Re, Viva i Principiello Casa Savoia.*" There is no body of men in Naples more attached to the Royal Family of the House of Savoy than that important, influential and increasing class, the merchants, and no one could mistake their sentiments who heard the hall ring with their acclamations. During the day Prince HUMBERT drove out in a hire carriage, and was welcomed in the most joyous manner, as was the Duchess of GENOA, the people shouting in their Neapolitan idiom, "*Viva u' principiello nuosto.*" The great festivities, unless that spontaneous one may be considered the greater, are put off for a few days. Still many houses in the Toledo and other parts of Naples were lit up, and the Union Club was brilliant. The Club, up to last Spring, had a permanent term to represent the poor classes, would have their demonstration as well, and on the evening of Friday they formed a torch-light procession, and, making a somewhat noisy demonstration, marched toward the centre of the city. And why should they not rejoice more than any other class? for it is to them especially that the Princess MARGHERITA has extended her sympathies by going among them, listening to and alleviating their sorrows, and, above all, trying to raise them to a new and better life by showing an interest in their schools. The infant Prince was not baptized on Friday, though there was some expectation that he would be. He will be baptized this morning, in the large ballroom of the palace, which has been fitted up as a chapel. The ceremony will be perfectly private, there being present only the principal authorities, the Prefect, the Syndic, the Giunta, the General in command of the district, and the Procureur-General of the Court of Cassation. The Prince of CARIGNANO will represent the King at the baptism, His Royal Highness and Count CARATI being the "*testicoli*." As witness there will be two Cavaliers of the order of the Annunziata, Generals CIALDINI and DE SANCET, all the officers of this noble order being *ex officio* cousins of the King. The municipality will be represented by the Syndic as sponsors, and thus Naples, now only a province, will have had an honor conferred upon it by a great as or greater than any she ever received when the capital of the Two Sicilies. It is impossible to applaud too highly a stroke of policy which has given the "Prince of Naples" to Southern Italy. True, it is but a name, but names are things, and I cannot tell you how there is the enthusiastic attachment to the House of Savoy which this one act has created among the most sensitive people. Why, you may hear it and witness it in the streets. VICTOR EMMANUEL, honest, brave and *galantuomo*, as he is, came among them as the King of Piedmont, and there was something to get over; but the Prince of Naples is "*Principiello nuosto.*" Does not the very title say so? And much will be be cherished, not only for his own sake as "*Principiello nuosto*," but for that of his amiable mother, who, without effort, and from the impulse of her kindly heart, has known how to win the affection and respect of all classes. On the 20th of this month she attains her eighteenth birthday, and a happy one it will be for her. I have watched the journals carefully during the last few days, and find that, with but one disgraceful exception, all, whatever party they represent, have recorded their warmest sympathy to the royal family, and the great misfortune which have oppressed them. It is, however, a sign of a healthy public feeling that the one exception has awakened general indignation. The illness of the King created great consternation here, and I do not err in saying that his death would have been regarded as the greatest calamity that could have befallen Italy. Even those who have habitually spoken of His Majesty in no very respectful terms have been heard to express their fears of the result of his illness. Conservatives, Liberals, Democrats, Republicans and Monarchists, and if there be any other party in Italy, all have equally been laboring under no unmeasurable anxiety. His Majesty is expected here shortly after his convalescence to make a longer visit than he usually does, and no doubt the Neapolitans will give him a hearty reception.

SOUTH AMERICA.

Demoralization and Conspiracy in the Army of Lopez—Wholesale Executions—The Prospects.

Rio de Janeiro (Oct. 29) Correspondence Morning Herald.

The French mail *Navarre* will carry out to-morrow further evidence of the approaching termination of the Paraguayan war, and of the final triumph of right and civilization over the most barbarous and unprecedented tyranny and unlawfulness. The Ex-Dictator of Paraguay finds himself at last abandoned by all, and in the most desperate plight, his former devoted adherents deserting him in scores. In fact, his position is such as to justify to the fullest a telegram from Buenos Ayres stating that "the tyrant is in his agonies, and knows no longer what he does." And so it must be in presence of the following piece of news, which has been corroborated on all sides, with the exception only as to numbers, upon which there is a discrepancy of statements. In the midst of LOPEZ'S camp a military conspiracy broke out, or was on the verge of breaking out, when LOPEZ'S suspicions were awakened, and with his usual ferocity he caused hundreds to be slaughtered, including women and old men. Among the new victims are several of his most important officers, such as Colonel MONJOLO, several of his field adjutants, and even some belonging to his own body guard. After this dreadful execution (some of the reports mention of many as low, some as 200) the blood-thirsty NERO "went to contemplate the corpses one by one." It is further stated that after this execution LOPEZ'S dread of his own army was such that he fled with scarcely 200 men toward Bolivia, and other statements give him as having abandoned his position at St. Estanislas with the remnant

tarily in a position where they knew one case or the other must go off, and find themselves unsuccessful in their experiment, they should not embarrass at anybody's hazard but their own. The gentleman brought on this case, trusting by that means he could put off his other cause. He had no right to compel us, four or five counsel, to waste our time merely for the purpose of proving whether his experiment would succeed or not, and, when he finds it does not succeed, make us come into Court, partially try our case, disclose our defences, argue questions of law, get a rule to nonsuit him, directing that the case be put off at this stage, when, as the matter now stands, his case is without merit. He wants to adjourn a case which the Court says he can't now sustain. Certainly there is nothing in this case or the other which should entitle counsel to make this claim. This is not a difficulty arising from any superior force; it is a position into which the counsel has knowingly and voluntarily placed himself. I ask the Court whether they will enable counsel who has thus placed himself, to extricate himself from a difficulty at the expense of third parties.

Mr. Field—This is the most ungracious of all objections yet.

The Court—This cause in New-York was begun in consequence of instructions I gave that it should be tried, without any objections of counsel on either side. Notice was given a sufficient length of time before the trial took place to have had the information reach the Justice in another part of the State. For that reason alone, I should have put this off, if no application had been made, but simply counsel had suggested he wanted to be there. But in addition to this, it is not conceivable that in an application to make in a case involving such a large amount of money, such as this, and a delay of two months certainly would not be considered a denial of justice. Then, again, to the knowledge of the Court, the counsel in this litigation has appeared in almost every one of those cases engaged for the plaintiff in different suits in different portions of the State. The defendants have different counsel; the plaintiff the same counsel or members of his firm. It would be easy, therefore, very easy indeed, for a combination among others—I can conceive of such a case—to bring all cases, if any existing, in favor of the plaintiff or for trial the same day, in different parts of the State, rendering it utterly impossible for one man to attend. Failing to have heard, up to this time, from Justice SMITH—for I sent him a telegram that the case was on—I would move this case down to the first Monday in January.

The case was accordingly postponed.

Ramsey and the Erie Railway Company—Motion to Make the Injunction in this Case Perpetual—The Right of one Judge to Review the Decision of Another.

Immediately after the disposal of the Erie-Vanderbilt case yesterday, before Judge BARNARD, Supreme Court, Special Term, Mr. FIELD called up the motion in the case of the Erie Railway Company vs. JOSEPH H. RAMSEY et al., and asked to make perpetual the injunction against the prosecution of the suit of JOSEPH H. RAMSEY vs. JAY GOULD and others.

Mr. JOHN T. PORTER, who appeared for the defendant, spoke at considerable length in opposition to the motion, and in the course of his remarks read the following affidavit of Mr. D. B. EATON, counsel in the Ramsey-Gould suit, and a defendant in the Erie-Ramsey suit:

The Erie Railway Company vs. Joseph H. Ramsey.—State of New-York, ss.: D. B. Eaton, being duly sworn says: He has read the copy of the complaint and injunction served on him in this suit, and that no affidavit or copy of any affidavit filed in the jurat to the complaint has been served on behalf of the plaintiff, and that he was one of the attorneys for Mr. Ramsey when the suit of said Ramsey, referred to in the complaint herein was commenced; that at the time thereafter was one of such attorneys; that he verily believes the seventh paragraph of the complaint herein is true and on information and belief, he avers that the allegations of the complaint herein as to the feelings of Mr. Ramsey and the purpose of his suit are incorrect; and he further avers that neither deponent nor Henry A. Taller are attorneys for said Ramsey in the suit referred to in the eighth paragraph of the complaint herein, or in collusion and fraud, as unfairness and that the facts as to the attorneys employed by said Erie Railway Company in the seventh paragraph elsewhere referred to, are on information and belief, that there was nothing either collusive or fraudulent in said attorney putting in a notice of appearance. Deponent further avers that deponent avers the Erie Railway Company did not serve any papers after it as is alleged in the tenth paragraph of the complaint herein. Deponent avers that all the affidavits filed in this suit with the complaint herein are incorrect, except that deponent did serve notice for a receiver which was regularly made and entered at the same time as the orders of injunction in said suit were made and entered, and that such notice was duly served on the plaintiff herein on the 24th inst. And deponent further states, on information and belief, (and in reference to the administration of the affairs of the Erie Road of the plaintiff, for which deponent was counsel, and during which the affairs were much better and more profitably managed and its credit stood far higher than of late,) that a receiver would not throw the business of the plaintiff into confusion, but would cause it to prosper, instead of ruin, and deponent stated said fact to Mr. Field. And deponent further says that no action whatever was taken by Mr. Rumkle in such attorney, other than sending in an appearance as attorney, and that he was not asked or requested to take any action, receive any notice or give any consent or admission; that no notice of Ohlen's papers was served on Mr. Rumkle, says deponent handed him the summons and complaint he had with him when he was at Mr. Diven's; that said Rumkle gave no notice, admission or consent as to such attorneyship, and between the time the said Rumkle gave his appearance and the time he revoked it, there was no communication either on verbal discussion, directly between deponent and said Rumkle, and deponent did not see each other between said appearance and the revocation. And deponent further says that all the papers contained in the complaint and affidavits in this case fastened in the twenty-sixth or the 27th, procuring said Rumkle to appear, and to the actual or intended relation to any suit, true or pretended, or fraudulent, or fraudulent, or false, or false transactions. And deponent further says that the appearance of said Field & Shearman for the Company, though believed by deponent to be unauthorized by said Company and filed with the injunction, was not returned, because it is made in place with an appearance for one of the suspended directors that neither said Ramsey nor any other person serve as a complaint, and that said Field, during said time, unable to appear or revoke his appearance, and there was no fraud or collusion in connection with the same, and said Rumkle was requested to appear because deponent supposed said Diven or Rumkle, and directed it as was not necessary to secure some legal attorney in communication with said Company in the suit, since it was beyond the authority of the suspended directors to authorize an appearance contrary to the orders of the Court for such attorneys appear for the suspended directors to appear for the Company time, and deponent was greatly surprised when he heard that said Diven had said deponent had not authorized, or intended to state, as to the said appearance being put in. In these statements deponent has not intended to cast any reflection upon the attorneys by whom the Company may appear, nor just to be intended in saying that he supposed to be said Rumkle, and that he and to think it a misfortune that the illegal action of the suspended directors, (who, as he believes, alone undertook to authorize such appearance,) should prevented any counsel the Board seem to have made the placing of the road in the hands of a receiver inevitable, unless the road is to be left under the control of the criminal and reckless. An affidavit of service of the summons and complaint, marked Schedule A, and a copy of the order of injunction of suspension and of the summons, complaint and affidavits on which said orders were granted, and which were served as aforesaid and as appears by an affidavit herein attached, on said Company, are hereunto attached in a bundle marked Schedule B. Sworn, &c. D. B. EATON.

Counsel also read the affidavit of Mr. BAILEY, corroborative of Mr. EATON's affidavit, the affidavit of Mr. HAYES of service of papers in the suit of RAMSEY vs. H. N. OTIS, Secretary of the Company, the order of Judge MURRAY suspending eight directors, including Messrs. FISK, GOULD and LANE, and the injunction order, also granted by Judge MURRAY.

Mr. FIELD replied and said that he understood Mr. EATON denied the service of affidavits. To facilitate matters, however, he would suppose that Mr. EATON's affidavit was according to facts, and that the affidavits were properly served. It was one of the characteristics of the American people that they were ever lovers of fair play, and he was induced to say this because, in a few parties, or the Press, too frequently issued misstatements in reference to Erie matters. There was little fair play, however, by some of the parties having the management of this case; for by a cunning trick, which he would not mention, eight directors of a corporation, only a few weeks having control of the Company, and elected by the stockholders, were removed without having got the chance to defend themselves; thus treating them in opposition to an old established rule of jurisprudence, which said that no man should be condemned without a hearing. When such a fact was brought to the knowledge of any Judge he could not fail to interfere, no matter whom or where the Justice may be that issued the order; and but for the interference of his Honor and Justice BALCOM, the Erie Road, with its vast number of employes and immense revenues would become bankrupt. When the order was granted by Judge MURRAY for the suspension of those eight directors, there was no evidence whatever of any importance adduced. In fact, in support of their case, there were only street rumors. True, there was an affidavit of information and belief of the plaintiff; an affidavit of Mr. JACKSON S. SCHULTZ, who had no high idea of the Erie Railway morality; the affidavit of a discharged employe, that they were, in fact, wicked men for discharging him, and an affidavit from Mr. HENRY SMITH, Mr. RAMSEY's attorney, who said he believed the complaint substantially correct. If the suspension of eight directors on such affidavits had happened in New-York, there would be given, of course, the old charge of corruption among officials; but, happening in Delaware, its correctness could not be doubted. Mr. FIELD, in conclusion, commented on Judge MURRAY's order, which virtually destroyed all management of the Erie Road by the managers of the Company, and claimed that, in reality, the plaintiffs' attorney had named the defendant's attorney.

Mr. PORTER, in a long and exhaustive address, replied. He condemned, in the strongest terms, the present management of the Erie Railway under GOULD and FISK, and said that by the order granted they were no longer directors or officers of the Company. Their condemnation, without a hearing, was not fair. It was just such a condemnation as was given by the Grand Jury to the assassin, and such a condemnation as Judge BARNARD had given in the case of Mr. RAMSEY or of Mr. DREW in 1868. Whatever might be said of other cases, he was undertook to say that in the Courts of New-York justice was administered, and his Honor had gained not only the confidence of his constituents but the respect of the State. Whether in the City or elsewhere, there was no other Judge before whom he felt more free to commit a decision when he had justice. Counsel then read a number of cases to show that when a Judge issued an injunction it should not be interfered with by a Judge of another Court; and the Court should not review the judgment of Judge MURRAY, who passed on facts not at present before his Honor. The affidavits then read showed that FISK and GOULD were incompetent men, and by their misconduct and mismanagement had injured the property of the Erie Company, and brought into disrepute other great railroads. As to Mr. DOUGLASS, he was not dismissed; he had merely resigned, and was at present the respected General Superintendent of the South Side Railroad. From the affidavits it was evident that the Erie Road was the victim of mismanagement; that its funds were squandered, its credit impaired and its efficiency destroyed; and under those circumstances, Judge MURRAY, on application, felt bound to remove the President, Vice-President, lawyer, and other parties who had produced the chaos which opened so much against the interests of the stockholders. On the motion before the Court, Mr. PORTER said there was nothing to base the injunction; the statements made were, some of them, quite immaterial; others only were rumors. It was greatly desired that Mr. RAMSEY was in litigation against them. Was that fact that he had been sued by FISK and GOULD a reason why he should not sue them? Was there any reason why Mr. EATON should not be Mr. RAMSEY's counsel? Was there any crime in Mr. SMITH's forcing on the trial in the discharge of his duty at Rochester? Was the Erie Railroad the only interest to be served? Was the statement that some one believed that Mr. EATON had done something wrong with one John Doe, a reason for blocking the wheels of justice? But it needed not that that nothing wrong had been done. Mr. EATON had advised Mr. DIVEN of the necessity of protecting the Erie Railway Company, and Mr. DIVEN had named an attorney, but that had been revoked. Mr. FIELD was here as the attorney of the Erie Railway Company, and they recognized him as such for the purposes of this motion only. Mr. FIELD claimed that this was a very bad injunction, and he could convince Judge MURRAY of it. Why not go to Judge MURRAY—to the Judge who had power to vacate this order, instead of to one who had no such power? This Court could not grant this injunction. The fact of a suitor to prosecute his claim was a fundamental right.

Mr. EATON entered, at considerable length, into a personal explanation of his conduct in connection with Erie matters. He detailed his conversation with DIVEN and others, and showed the state of facts on which had been raised the fabric by which he had been charged by those connected with the office of Mr. FIELD, with having procured the appointment of a receiver, or obtaining the injunction order, and representing the procurement to be for a fraudulent purpose. The author of the charge against him was a Mr. SHEARMAN, a gentleman who had brought once a similar charge against his Honor. In the heat and frenzy of strife men too frequently lost their justice; and if his Honor and he were made the objects of such charges, they should bear it as well as possible and rely on cooler judgments for a better sense of justice, by which the authors of such charges would be guided in more propitious moments. Having referred briefly to his affidavit, he concluded by saying that in his dealings with the Company, as their counsel, he had always acted honestly, and in advising them to follow any course he had done so with the best judgment that in him lay. These charges were most unwarranted, and the quicker they were dropped and the quicker the curtain fell on that part of the drama the better for those who had taken the most conspicuous part in preventing it.

Mr. FIELD, in reply, referred to the lucid and impartial explanation given by Mr. EATON, in which, however, there were one or two things which he could not pass over. He asked who was the man appointed receiver, but this they refused to tell. The counsel stated he was ready to do justice, but the counsel for the Erie Railway wished to know who was this spurious receiver. This was denied, and yet they asked people to believe there was no appearance of collusion. His long respect entertained for the learned gentleman induced him to believe that no wrong was intended by the gentleman, but that he did wrong, and that the wrong still continued was palpable. If the injunction was not retained how could the Erie Company get any justice? They were refused to be told the name of the receiver, who had charge of millions and millions, and from those circumstances it was evident the Company was fighting in the dark with persons and machinery.

Mr. EATON said he was not an attorney in the case, but he was aware the papers in reference to a receiver had been sent to the gentleman—served on the Erie Railway Company, on a director, the 29th inst.

Mr. FIELD again asked who was the collusive director on whom the paper had been served, and who had given no notice of it to the Company.

Mr. HENRY A. TALLER, the attorney for Mr. RAMSEY, replied that he found that in the order the name of DAVID GRAHAM, of New-York City, was mentioned as receiver.

The argument then closed. The decision was reserved, and the Court adjourned.

Farewell Presentation at the United States Appraiser's Office—Formal Installation of General George W. Palmer.

Yesterday Mr. THOMAS W. MCKERATH, late Appraiser of the Port of New-York, formally turned over the Appraiser's Department to his successor, General GEORGE W. PALMER. About 3 P. M., the officers, clerks and other employes of the Department assembled in one of the cargo-examining rooms of the United States Public Stores, on Greenwich-street, to witness the ceremony.

Mr. MCKERATH, after a brief but earnest address, in which he thanked the officials for the faithful services they had rendered him, presented his successor, General PALMER, to whom he hoped they would now render equally faithful service.

General PALMER, then officially assuming charge of the Department, made a short speech, in which he praised his predecessor's efficiency and ability, which had won for him the esteem of all the officials in the Department. General PALMER then, on behalf of the employes of the Department, presented Mr. MCKERATH with a gold watch and chain suitably engraved and valued at $600. Mr. MCKERATH, who seemed surprised at this presentation, of which he had received no previous intimation, returned thanks and seemed overcome with emotion. Mr. CALHOUN, one of the officials of the department, then offered the following resolution, which was unanimously and enthusiastically adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the employes of the Appraiser's Department, in the Port of New-York, are hereby tendered to the Hon. Hugh McCulloch, Secretary of the Treasury, for the appointment of our late Appraiser, Hon. Thomas W. McKerath, and we, the undersigned officers of the Appraiser's Department, do hereby tender to him our best wishes for his future welfare, recommending to him the faithful, able and honorable public officer—one every way worthy of the plaudit—"Well done good and faithful servant." May the mantle of the departing Elijah securely cover the incoming Elisha.

THE GOLD WAR.

Motion to Continue the Injunction Against the Arbitration Committee of the Gold Exchange.

In the case of WILLIAM HEATH and JAMES M. ELLIS vs. JOHN F. UNDERHILL, President, and others, officers and members of the Arbitration Committee of the New-York Gold Exchange, argument was yesterday had before Judge LOEW, in the Court of Common Pleas, on an order to show cause why the injunction heretofore issued against the defendants should not be continued in force. In the complaint and affidavits on which the injunction was granted it is set forth that the Arbitration Committee of the Gold Exchange assumes the right to arbitrate on a claim of LIVERMORE & Co. against WILLIAM HEATH & Co., the plaintiff in the action, amounting to about half a million of gold. The plaintiffs' reasons for refusing to submit to an arbitration are declared to be, among others, that the default arose on the 25th of September last, and that over thirty days have elapsed since the time of the alleged default, thus taking it from under the jurisdiction of the Committee, according to the amended constitution and bylaws of the Gold Exchange; that LIVERMORE & Co. falsely allege that they bought for and by the authority of plaintiffs, on the 24th of September, $1,200,000 of gold; that numerous suits have been commenced against the plaintiffs to recover differences on purchases of gold falsely alleged to have been purchased by defendants on account of the plaintiffs; that the defendants nowhere pretend that they have in any manner paid for the alleged purchases of gold, and that it is quite clear that any arbitration of the Committee between plaintiffs and defendants would be no protection against those other numerous claims made against them. Plaintiffs further claim that this alleged claim against them should be settled by the Courts, to which two of the claimants have already had resort; that the allegations of LIVERMORE & Co. are wholly false, and in dealing with such an opponent the plaintiffs feel that their rights will be better protected by a trial before a jury, where legal rules of evidence are enforced, and where a full opportunity is given to counsel to elicit the truth by a judicial investigation. Besides, numerous attachments for some $150,000 to $200,000 against LIVERMORE as an absconding debtor have been issued by the Court, and served on the plaintiffs, and a complaint has been made against CHARLES C. ALLEN before a Police Justice, charging him with perjury in the affidavit made in the action of O. W. JOSLYN & Co., in which affidavit he stated in substance that the $195,000 of gold which was the subject of that suit, was bought by authority of WILLIAM HEATH & Co.; that LIVERMORE is now absent from this country, and the plaintiffs could have no protection against the examination or cross-examination before the Committee, whenever in the pending suits and in future suits, if any, plaintiffs would have the power of the Court to issue a commission to take his testimony wherever he might be found, and that there are material witnesses whose attendance could not be compelled before the Committee; that the entire claim is brought for only $1,200,000, out of the pretended claim of $1,800,000, and, in case of an arbitration, plaintiffs would be subjected to the arbitration, and probably many of them for the residue and parts of the residue of the latter claim, the result of the arbitration being productive of no final result, in view of the litigation pending, or that may hereafter be brought. In addition to the original complaint containing the foregoing facts, the plaintiffs have embodied in a supplemental complaint the fact that they have resigned as members of the Gold Exchange, and on this additional fact the whole argument proceeded.

Mr. BURRILL, on behalf of the defendants, contended that, on the original affidavits and complaint, the injunction could not stand, because the plaintiffs had voluntarily submitted themselves to the constitution and by-laws of the Gold Exchange; and that the supplemental or amended answer, being in direct conflict with the original, the new facts therein alleged could not be considered on a motion to perpetuate an injunction founded on the original complaint. Counsel for plaintiffs contended that the whole pleadings as amended should be taken together and considered on the motion; that the original injunction was properly granted and should be maintained, especially so as by the tender of their resignations the plaintiffs had placed themselves beyond the reach of any pretended jurisdiction which the defendants might originally have had. On the question of the effect of the plaintiffs' resignation counsel for defendants contended that, until the resignation of the plaintiffs had been formally accepted by the Gold Exchange, they were still subject to its rules and bound by its arbitration.

The Court took the papers and reserved decision.

GOOD NEWS FOR MASONS.

A Hall Worthy of the Order to be Built at Last—What Has Been Done and What is Doing.

It has long been a matter of surprise to the general public and of humiliation to Masons, in New-York, that while their Order in other cities has had its headquarters at Halls which have reflected credit upon the liberality and dignity of its members, and added architectural beauty to the cities themselves, the Metropolis of the country, in a State whose Grand Lodge numbers upward of 30,000 members, there has been no Masonic Hall at all deserving of the name. For many years it has been well known that certain trustees, consisting of the first five officers of the Grand Lodge of the State, (not, however, including the Grand Treasurer,) had on their hands the task of raising a "Hall and Asylum Fund," and erecting in this City a temple up to which Masons could go with pride and satisfaction to attend the mysteries of this great brotherhood, and establishing in the interior of the State an asylum for aged and unfortunate brethren. Year after year has passed, and many obstacles have lain in the way of the trustees, but at last we are able to chronicle the fact that a site has been obtained on the northeast corner of Sixth-avenue and Twenty-third-street, which gives general satisfaction, and that the corner stone of the new edifice will probably be laid at the session of the Grand Lodge in June next. We owe nothing, however, for this information to the Grand Secretary, whose gruff manners and professed indifference to public opinion and the favor of the Press can hardly be among the qualifications which fit him for his present responsible position.

The plan of the trustees is to erect a building which shall afford an income sufficient to support the Asylum, the construction of the latter institution being assured as soon as the Hall is finished and free of all incumbrance, and it is proposed to have the necessary funds clearly in prospect before the work is commenced. This we are assured is already the case, but the details of the plan for raising the money we are not at liberty to make public at present. The subject is now in the hands of the architects, and several plans have been submitted to the trustees, who have the selection under consideration. The site is 100 feet by 145, and is to be entirely covered by the building which will be commenced immediately after the 1st of May.

The history of this Hall and Asylum fund is brief but interesting, and gives some clue to the reason why the buildings have never yet been erected. Several attempts to build a Hall had been previously made on the basis of a small capital and large credit, but all had failed. In 1844 the present fund was started by the subscription of $1, and trustees were appointed by the Grand Lodge to take charge of it. Unfortunate schisms in the Lodge retarded the accumulation of funds, and in 1856 it amounted to only $12,000. It however increased more rapidly after that period, and in 1866 the trustees purchased a site on the corner of Grand and Chrystie streets for the sum of $30,000. This location did not give general satisfaction, and in March, 1867, the property was sold at auction and brought $125,000. Meantime a grand fair had been held, by which $60,000 were added to the fund. The present site was purchased in September, 1868, for the sum of $240,000, and will undoubtedly soon be ornamented with a fine building.

It is but just to remark that a rumor which was at one time set afloat that there was something wrong in the management of this fund was wholly without foundation. There never was the slightest reason for suspecting the integrity of the trustees, but for the purpose of setting the rumor at rest an official investigation was made, and every cent of the money satisfactorily accounted for.

Forged Naturalization Papers.

It seems that the business of forging naturalization papers is still kept up in this City, notwithstanding the lack of any particular occasion just now for manufacturing votes. Probably the Democratic politicians are anxious to "keep their hand in," as the saying is, against the time when their services will be more especially needed by the "Ring." Yesterday a man appeared at the Naturalization office of the Superior Court asking for a certificate of naturalization for EDWARD KRAWITSKY. He presented a paper, made out in due form, setting forth that the said KRAWITSKY had appeared before Judge MCCUNN, of that Court, and made the requisite affidavits regarding his age, time of residence in the country, &c., all of which was duly supported by a witness who signed himself ANTHONY J. MILLER, and who stated on oath that he was a native of Germany, and had been in the United States for five years, that he had known the said KRAWITSKY for the same period, and was a resident of the City of New-York. The paper purported to be signed with the initials of Judge MCCUNN, but the signature was so bungingly executed as to excite the suspicions of the clerk, who told the man who presented it (who declared himself to be MILLER, the subscribing witness,) to wait a few moments in the office while he went out to see about another matter. The clerk took the paper to Judge MCCUNN, in an adjoining room, who at once pronounced the initials of his name to be a forgery, and directed the clerk to arrest the man who presented the paper. On returning to his office the clerk found Mr. ANTHONY J. MILLER missing, and was unable to find him anywhere about the building. The residence of KRAWITSKY was put down in his affidavit as No. 17 Stanton-street. Here, then, is a clear case of forgery with the residences of both parties designated in the forged paper. This is probably only one of hundreds of cases of a similar kind that were not detected by the clerk, as the most likely would not have been had the paper been presented during the rush of applicants for naturalization that usually precedes an exciting election in this City. It might be well for Judge MCCUNN and other Judges to look at the back files of naturalization papers in the Clerk's offices, and see how many times their names have been forged during the last two years. They could probably find work enough to keep District-Attorney GARVIN busy for the next six months.

MEDICAL MALPRACTICE.

Another Death from Ignorant Treatment—Censure of a "Magnetic" Physician by a Coroner's Jury.

Mrs. ANN MOAN, of No. 327 Elizabeth-street, has been for some months suffering from illness, the precise nature of which could not be determined for some time. She was attended by several physicians without any material aid being rendered, so the brother of the patient recommended one JOHN SCOTT, of No. 91 Schermerhorn-street, Brooklyn, a magnetic practitioner; so Mrs. MOAN called him, as a dernier resort. Mr. SCOTT made a diagnosis of the case, and announced that the patient was suffering from cancer of the uterus, as indeed had been surmised by the other physicians, and he expressed the belief that he could effect a cure. He accordingly rubbed the woman with his hands, over the abdominal region, twice a week for at least ten minutes each time. This singular treatment was continued from the 1st of September to the 19th inst. On the 3d inst. Mrs. MOAN gave birth to a still-born child, and the death of the mother occurred on Friday last.

Coroner SCHIRMER was duly notified of the facts of the case by the Board of Health, when he assumed jurisdiction, and held an investigation yesterday, obtaining the following evidence:

John Scott, the magnetic physician, testified in substance that he was a magnetic physician, but did not practice medicine in either allopathic or homeopathic schools; he was not a graduate of any college; did not know of Mrs. MOAN's sickness; told Mr. Scott if he would treat a lady with a cancer, when the witness referred him to several persons whom he had treated; Scott did not think Mrs. Moan was suffering from cancer; thought she might have a tumor, which he thought he could relieve. The witness said he had cured different kinds of tumors, but confessed he did not understand the peculiar nature of cancers; witness did not know of her death until he received a summons to appear before the Coroner.

Two or three other witnesses were also examined, though their evidence presented no new facts, and Mr. Scott was then recalled. He testified that he had given the deceased some drops, consisting of the "extract of the honey bee," one drop comprising a dozen; the pills gave her some liquid medicine, consisting of Indian hemp, juniper berries and saxafras, of which mixture he ordered a dessert spoonful. He also ordered a bottle of homeopathic pills, consisting of calendula. He detected the patient had not had her menses for months, but gave innocent remedies occasionally. It had never occurred to him to produce an abortion by friction.

Dr. Joseph Cushman stated that he had made a post-mortem examination of the remains of Mrs. Moan, and had found a cancerous mass, about the size of an orange, extending into the bladder. In his opinion, death had been caused by cancer of the uterus and bladder, accelerated by premature birth of the child. The Deputy Coroner, in answer to a question from the Coroner, stated that the frequent rubbing of the abdomen of a pregnant woman would produce abortion.

The jury rendered the following verdict:

"That ANN MOAN, the deceased, came to her death by cancer of the uterus and bladder, accelerated by the premature delivery of an eight-months' child, induced by gross ignorance on the part of JOHN SCOTT; and we recommend the Kings County Medical Society to prosecute the said SCOTT for being an unlicensed practitioner."

Mr. SCOTT seemed somewhat astonished at the verdict, and timidly asked the Coroner if he was at liberty to go. Coroner SCHIRMER informed him that he had no power to detain him, but he seized the occasion, as a practicing physician himself, to administer a reprimand to Mr. SCOTT, and assured him that if he had occasion to investigate any more cases of malpractice on his part he would see that sooner stops were taken in his case. SCOTT remarked rather composedly that he did not expect to be punished for doing his duty, and he assured the Coroner that he did not intend to do anything wrong.

THE NEW POST OFFICE.

Reduction of the Working Force—Need of an Appropriation by Congress.

The grounds of the new Post Office have ceased to present the busy scene which has attracted the notice of every passer-by since the work commenced. Unluckily, for many poor laborers at least, Uncle Sam's appropriation for the building has nearly given out, and the working force has consequently been greatly reduced within a few days. Some days ago a hundred men were discharged, and yesterday a hundred more received their final pay. The number of workmen retained is less than eighty, including masons, riggers, and a few others. The digging, except for sand, has been stopped, and only one part of the work which will be pushed with the usual energy is the setting of the granite pillars. What money remains is to be expended for that purpose, and all other work will be suspended for the present.

The Secretary of the Treasury, the New-York Congressional delegation, and a host of citizens are desirous that the erection of the new Post Office should not be delayed by lack of funds, and as soon as Congress assembles an immediate appropriation of $1,000,000 will be asked. The money will undoubtedly be voted sometime during the session, but it is needed before Winter sets in and a vigorous effort is to be made to obtain it at least by Christmas. It is to be hoped be gratified with a speedy appropriation more than the discharged workmen who seek employment in the Winter months. If the appropriation is made at once, a large force can be employed to advantage and many hundred dollars can be daily distributed among the laborers at a season when the money is most needed by them.

Hon. H. L. DAWES, of Massachusetts, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, intends to visit the grounds of the new office the latter part of the week.

The Hermann Bounty Frauds.

About one hundred ex-Union soldiers, the victims of HERMAN's swindling scheme, have commenced proceedings before the Court of Claims, at Washington, for the recovery of their bounty money. The claimants take the ground that the Government is responsible to them for the money, because the bounty drafts did not bear the indorsement of the soldiers at the time HERMAN received the money on them at the Sub-Treasury in this City. Mr. H. F. SHERMAN acts as counsel for the soldiers.

The Schoepp Murder Case—Letters to Governor Geary.

The following letters were sent from this City, yesterday, to Governor GEARY, of Pennsylvania:

NEW-YORK, Nov. 30, 1869.

His Excellency John W. Geary, Governor of the State of Pennsylvania:

MY DEAR SIR: I commend to your most earnest consideration the inclosed letter from Professors DOREMUS and HORSFORD in relation to the testimony which is said to have warranted the conviction of Dr. SCHOEPP for the crime of murder.

The gentlemen who sign this letter have no superiors in their profession as chemists. They have examined the evidence upon which the conviction was based simply from a scientific point of view, and without any interest in the case other than such as is creditable to their humanity, and to their regard for scientific truth. Our German friends in this City all take a deep interest in this matter, and they desire that there should be conveyed to you an expression, from scientific persons in this City, of their judgment as to the weight to be given to the testimony upon which conviction was based.

I am, with great respect, your obedient servant, O. A. SEWARD.

NEW-YORK, Nov. 30, 1869.

His Excellency Governor J. W. Geary, Harrisburg, Penn.:

The undersigned, chemists by profession, have read in the papers that your Excellency has issued your warrant for the execution of Dr. SCHOEPPS, for the alleged crime of murder by poison.

We have examined with care the chemical testimony upon which such conviction was had. A criminal act is alleged to have been proved by the evidence of a chemist, who stated that having discovered in the deceased indications of prussic acid. This scientific witness stated with precision the experiments upon which his opinion was based. These experiments were conducted in such a way that they would have given evidence of the presence of prussic acid in any ordinary healthy stomach. The first step in his examination, that of treating the stomach with sulphuric acid, precluded the possibility of determining whether the faint traces of prussic acid claimed to have been discovered existed in the stomach as such, or resulted from the action of the sulphuric acid on the nervous fluids which must have lined the interior of the stomach.

In view of these considerations, in the interest of scientific truth, and in the interest of a wise administration of justice, we have thought it our duty, though personally unacquainted with the accused, to express to you this opinion.

We believe that the ends of justice would be better served by a stay of the proceedings, for a short time, in order that the question may be fully and fairly investigated. We have no wish to express any opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the prisoner, which we believe would be premature and indeed guilty, in consideration of the uncertain evidence.

E. N. HORSFORD,
Late Rumford Professor in Harvard University, Massachusetts.

R. OGDEN DOREMUS, M. D.,
Professor of Chemistry and Toxicology, New-York Bellevue Hospital Medical College.

STOLEN BONDS.

Recovery of a Portion of the Proceeds of Two Bond Robberies—Three Arrests Made.

On the 3d of November, 1868, a tin box containing fifty-three United States Bonds, valued at $71,500; eighteen bonds of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, valued at $18,000; four six per cent. bonds of the City of Alton, Ill., for $1,000 each, and 1,123 shares of stock in various banks and railroads, valued at $78,000, was carried off by an adroit sneak thief from the office of Messrs. MORRISON, SON & HUTCHINSON, at No. 321 Broadway. Of these valuable securities there were $52,000 worth of registered bonds belonging to a Mr. HOYT, the remainder being the property of Mr. THOMAS A. MORRISON, the senior partner of the firm.

Since the date of this adroit robbery, the detectives, both Metropolitan and private, have been on the alert, with a view of secure the stolen property, and arrest the guilty parties. They made but slight progress, however, until recently, when, by some unknown manner, they came into the possession of certain facts that made them active in the pursuit. Detectives FARLEY and SYMINGTON of the Central Office, and Messrs. HARVEY and DOYLE, detectives in the employ of JAY, COOKE & Co., then became associated on the case, and they yesterday arrested one CAROLIN O'BRYAN BRYANT, a noted local politician, and found him in possession of two $5,000 United States bonds which were supposed to have been stolen. Further investigation resulted in the discovery that one of these bonds formed a part of those belonging to Mr. HOYT, and contained in the tin box stolen from Mr. MORRISON's office. It had been altered, however, from HOYT as the owner, to JAMES H. HARVEY, of Chicago. The second bond was found to have formed a part of a quantity of bonds stolen from the safe of the Berkshire Insurance Company, at Poughkeepsie, about two months ago, and owned by Mr. DODGE, President of the Company. In this case Mr. DODGE's name had been erased by chemical means, and that of CALEB B. HUMPHREY, of Chicago, substituted.

Mr. BRYANT was informed of these discoveries and he stated to the detectives that he had received the bonds from a man named JOHN H. HAND, who in due time found himself under arrest. HAND, in turn, explained that he had purchased the bonds from BARTON M. JOHNSON, so the detectives secured his person also, he having no one else to take the responsibility off his shoulders.

The detectives having thus traced the stolen bonds through three hands, came with the case before Justice HOGAN, at the Tombs, yesterday, and arraigned BRYANT, HAND and JOHNSON before him. Mr. THOMAS A. MORRISON made an affidavit relating the circumstances of the robbery of the tin box, and enumerated the bonds and securities contained therein. The counsel for the complainant having consulted with the Magistrate, stated that he did not think any complaint could be made against either Mr. HAND or Mr. BRYANT, as they had shown clearly the source whence the bonds found in Mr. BRYANT's possession had been derived. On this showing the Magistrate received the complaint against JOHNSON, and held him for examination on Thursday, when Messrs. HAND and BRYANT will be required to be in their presence would be necessary. There are developments in this case which it is deemed not prudent to make public at the present stage of the proceedings. It is understood that these stolen bonds came in the market through a broker who had advised a friend to purchase, and sold them on the expiration of the time specified.

THE MURDERER DAVID BURKE.

Preparations for the Execution—What He Says Concerning His Case.

Preparations for the execution of DAVID BURKE, convicted at the last term of the Queens County Court, Oyer and Terminer, of the murder of THOMAS KAHS, on the night of the great oil fire at Hunter's Point, Oct. 25, 1868, and sentenced to be hung on the 10th of December, are progressing at the County Jail, North Hempstead. A yard is being inclosed at the rear of the jail with a fence thirty feet high. The same gallows will be used on which ATKISSON was hung fifteen years ago. It will be remembered that this execution was little less than a judicial murder, it having been since ascertained that he was innocent, the evidence that convicted him being purely circumstantial. BURKE, owing to his long confinement and a recent severe illness, has been very much reduced in flesh. He is now rather above the medium height, straight, and of commanding appearance, and nothing about him indicates the criminal. His head has an intellectual cast, and his countenance has an open expression which makes it impossible for one conversing with him to believe him guilty of the great crime for which he has been convicted. We gleaned the following yesterday in an interview with the prisoner. He joined the navy in 1863, and served until the end of the war. Was present at the first attack on Mobile in 1864, and also at the surrender of that place in the Spring of 1865. His superior officers all speak well of him, giving him an excellent character for sobriety and peaceableness. He has one brother residing in New-York, and two sisters living in Boston. At the time of the unfortunate occurrence he had been married but six months to an estimable Virginia lady, who, with his other friends, is with the prisoner, making every exertion to have his sentence commuted to imprisonment for life. The prisoner converses freely about his approaching execution, and evidently has but little hope of a reprieve. Father MCALEROY, of Glen Cove, is his spiritual adviser, and visits him daily, and has induced him to prepare for the final change. BURKE states that he is prepared, but thinks it hard to die charged with such a crime. He gives as a reason for not accepting the offer of the District-Attorney to allow him to plead guilty to manslaughter in the third degree that his conscience would not allow him to acknowledge the guilt of a crime of which he is innocent. Since his conviction the public feeling has changed greatly, and the question is now asked, was there anything in the testimony incompatible with the prisoner's statement.

Fraudulent Removal of Spirits.

MICHAEL G. DUIGNAN, of No. 8 Vandewater-street, made a complaint before Commissioner SHIELDS, yesterday, charging a rectifier named E. R. KELLOGG with having, on the 18th of August last, removed a quantity of distilled spirits, on which no tax had been paid, from his establishment to a place other than a bonded warehouse. He gave bail to appear for examination.

Police Regulation.

Superintendent KENNEDY yesterday issued the following order:

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF METROPOLITAN POLICE, NO. 300 MULBERRY-STREET, NEW-YORK, Dec. 1, 1869.

To Captains of Police:

GENERAL ORDER, NO. 151.—You will, on Tuesday, Dec. 7, order the whole of your command on duty during the hours detailed by the Superintendent for that day.

You will not excuse any member of your command on that day. You will take every precautions to preserve the peace around the polling places where the election is held and keep ingress and egress to them open, so that every citizen, entitled to vote, may have an opportunity to do so in safety.

You will see that your telegraph instrument is in charge of a Sergeant fully competent to work it from sunrise to sunset. In case you require assistance while the election is going on, notify your adjoining precincts for their reserve, and if the difficulty requires a serious support, telegraph to this office.

You will see that your ballot boxes are properly labeled, and that they are distributed to the several polling places in your precinct before commencement of the morning of election. And, under a resolution of the Board adopted 24th ult., you are specially instructed to furnish wooden ballot boxes only, as no carriage for ballot boxes will be allowed for this election.

You will instruct the members of the force under your command to keep a sharp look out for illegal voters; to arrest all persons whom they have good reason to believe have voted or attempted to vote illegally. And also instruct them to protect persons who may be placed as coal poll or challengers in the decorous performance of that duty.

JOHN L. KENNEDY, Superintendent.
GEORGE W. DILKS, Inspector.

Strict Orders for the Enforcement of the Revenue Laws.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue, a day or two ago, issued orders to all the Assessors of

[illegible] upon it to warrant the dissolution of the injunction, but I do not place that result on such a ground. I think the plaintiffs have remedies at law against the defendants, and I cannot see that they cannot be injured in such manner and to the exclusion of the power of the Court by injunction, if the defendants are permitted to proceed with their lawful business, and that the defendants being solvent, the plaintiffs have a sufficient remedy at law, which is an element to justify an injunction.

Ordered accordingly.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—Nov. 30, 1869.

FIRST BOARD—10½ A. M.

$1,000 U. S. 6s, '81, C.	116	10 Amer. Ex. Bank	139
10,000 U. S. 5-20 r., '67	110¾	20 Fourth N. Bank	104½
4,000 do. c.	110¾	100 W. U. Tel.	34⅞
500 U. S. 5-20 C., '66	112⅛	50 do. bot. cash	35
20,000 do. r.	112¼	100 Quick. M. Co.	13
500 do. c.	112¼	100 do.	11⅞
8,500 U. S. 5-20 R., '64	110¾	200 Pac. Mail	40⅞
31,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '64	110⅝	100 do.	40⅞
10,000 do.	110⅝	100 do. bot. cash	40⅞
2,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65	110⅝	500 do.	40⅞
10,000 do.	110⅝	500 do.	40⅞
64,500 U. S. 5-20 C., '65, new	112	100 U. S. Express	50
119,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67	112⅛	100 Erie	37⅞
2,500 do.	112⅛	100 do.	37⅞
2,500 do.	112⅛	200 Harlem R.	128⅛
8,500 do.	112⅛	200 do.	128⅛
1,000 do.	112⅛	100 Reading	93⅛
9,000 U. S. 10-40 C.	108⅛	100 Mich. Cen.	120⅞
1,000 do.	108⅛	10 do.	121
1,000 Tenn. 6s, old c.	64	400 La. Sh. & M. So.	67⅞
10,000 Tenn. 6s, new c.	64	100 do.	67⅞
10,000 do.	63½	1000 do. bot. cash	67⅞
4,000 N. C. 6s, c.	30	1000 do.	67⅞
10,000 N. C. 6s, c.	29	50 Pacific R.	203
2,000 do. coup.	29	100 Ill. Cen.	137⅞
27,000 do.	28¾	1000 Clev. & Pitts.	86
11,000 do.	28¾	100 C., C., Cin. & I. R.	100
10,000 do.	28¾	100 do.	100
1,000 do.	28	100 Chi. & N. W.	74⅞
10,000 Mo. 6s, N. Iss.	40	100 do.	74⅞
2,000 do.	39	400 Chi. & N. W. Pf.	87⅞
1,000 N. Y. St. 7s, R.	100	100 do.	87⅞
1,000 Cen. Pac. 1s, R.	102¼	100 Chi. & R. I. R.	105⅞
1,000 do. G. Bds.	91	1000 do.	105⅞
5,000 Union Pac. 1st	88	300 Mil. & St. Paul	69
1,000 do.	88	200 do.	69⅞
5,000 do.	87½	1500 do.	69⅞
5,000 M. C. 5s, s. bds	117	300 P., Ft. W. & Chi.	78
10,000 Mich. Sh. 2d M.	92	Cash.	69
5,000 M. S. & N. I. 1st	94	100 Ohio & Miss.	24⅞
1,000 Alton & T. H. 1st M.	75	100 do.	24⅞
50 M. P.	79	100 do.	24⅞
10,000 Tol. & W. 2d	82	50 Ohio & M. Pf.	43
2,000 W. J. Cin. L. G.	90	115 Chic. R. & Q.	123
3,500 P., F. W. & C. 1st	100	16 do.	123⅞
1,000 Clev. & P. 6th M.	73	200 Chic. & Alt.	140
1,000 St. L. & I. M. 1st	100	100 do.	140⅞
1,000 do. M. L.	81	100 N. J. Cen.	85⅞
4,000 M. & St. P. 1st	89⅞	100 do.	85⅞
5,000 Tol., P. & W. 1st		25 Del., L. & W.	103⅞
Bank Div.	83½	12 do.	103⅞
10,000 Col. C. & Ind. C. 1st M.	75⅞	40 do. & Exc. B.	103⅞
2,000 W. U. Tel. 7s, c.	89⅞	14 do.	103⅞
10 Bk. of Commerce	122½	33 H. & St. Jos. R.	107⅞
100 Union Bank	150	100 N. Y. & N. H. Scrip	141

SECOND BOARD—2½ P. M.

$800 U. S. 5-20 C., '65	112⅛	$40,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65	
2,000 do.	112⅛	new	112⅛
10,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '64	111	20,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67	112⅛
5,000 do.	111	20,000 do.	112⅛
5,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65	111⅛	20,000 do.	112⅛
20,000 do.	111⅛	12,000 U. S. 10-40 C.	107

SECOND BOARD—1 P. M.

$1,000 Tenn. 6s, n.	50	100 Erie	37⅞
5,000 Tenn. 6s, c.	64⅞	100 Erie Pf., bot. cell.	48⅞
1,000 N. Car. 6s, c.	30	100 Reading	93⅞
1,000 N. Car. 6s, n.	30	1000 do.	93⅞
86,000 do. sp. tax	29	200 do. bot. cell	93⅞
25,000 do.	29⅞	300 L. S. & M. S.	86⅞
5,000 do.	29⅞	2700 do.	86⅞
10,000 do.	29⅞	100 do.	86⅞
1,000 Ala. S. 8s, bds.	30⅞	200 C. & N. W. B.	74⅞
4,000 Col., C. & I. C. R. 1st M.	75	100 Chi. & N. W. Pf.	87⅞
2,000 N. J. Con. 2 bds	95	100 Chi. & R. I.	105⅞
10 Bank New York	312	100 do.	105⅞
10 West. U. Tel. b30	34⅞	100 do.	105⅞
100 do.	34⅞	100 Mil. & St. P.	69⅞
400 Quick. Min. Co.	13⅞	400 Mil. & St. P. Pf.	82⅞
200 Pacific Mail	41⅞	200 do.	82⅞
100 do. bot. cell	41	200 P., F. W. & C.	78⅞
100 do. bot. cell	41	100 N. Y. Cen. R.	115⅞
100 Mariposa Pf.	16	50 do.	115⅞
100 Wells-Fargo Ex.	18	100 Ohio & Miss.	24⅞
200 West. U. Tel. bd	34⅞	100 do.	24⅞
100 do.	34⅞	200 do.	24⅞
100 Pacific Mail c	41⅞	100 do. c.	10
200 do. bd	41⅞	100 do. b.	15
100 N. Y. Central	116⅞	100 do.	15
200 do.	116⅞	100 Green Valley	40
200 Reading R.	93⅞	1000 do. c.	40
100 do.	93⅞	400 do. s.	40
200 L. S. & M. S.	87⅞	100 do. b.	40
200 do. s.	87⅞		

TUESDAY, Nov. 30—P. M.

The sales of Gold early in the forenoon were at 122@121¾@121¾ ⅌ cent., under the belief that the million of dollars advertised by the Treasury, to be awarded at noon, would further weaken the market. The bids for this million were $600,000 by Messrs. TREVOR & COLGATE at 121.20 ⅌ cent., and $895,000 by other parties at 120.71 to 121.99 ⅌ cent. On the communication by telegraph of these offers to the Secretary of the Treasury, he promptly declined all the offers as being under 122 ⅌ cent., the last price of Monday night. It was clearly within his discretion to do so, and the prevailing feeling in reference to the effect upon general business of the too rapid decline of Gold on the advertised sales of the Government must in the main justify this action, whatever private disappointments or grievances may be momentarily indulged to the contrary. When the decision from Washington was made known on the Street, the Gold market was run up to 123 ⅌ cent., quite as inconsiderately, and altogether as unreasonably, as it was run down yesterday. It ought not, on the one hand, to have been expected that the Government would follow Gold down on its own advertised sales below a reasonable limit, nor, on the other hand, ought it to be taken for granted that because anything below 122 ⅌ cent. is refused on Tuesday, nothing above 123 ⅌ cent. will be accepted on Friday.

On the lower figures for Gold early in the day the leading Bankers in the Foreign Exchanges advanced their rate on London to 109¼@109½, 60 days, and 109¾@109⅞ ⅌ cent., short sight; Paris, £5.18¾@£5.17½, 60 days, and £5.16¾@£5.15 to the dollar, short sight.

Money was in better demand from the Brokers after 2 o'clock this Afternoon, and 7 ⅌ cent. was the invariable rule on all classes of collateral.

The Public Funds were again weak until after the refusal of the offers for Gold at the Treasury Office, after which the bidding for 5-20s returned to the last rates of Monday, and the 1867s were even a fraction higher. In the Southern State Bonds there was renewed pressure to sell the North Carolinas, "special tax," and prices went down, as on Saturday, to 29@28 ⅌ cent. In the Railways the feeling was very unsettled and prices generally depressed through the forenoon, with a partial recovery about 2 o'clock, and a subsequent return to heaviness, the prices after the late Boards being the lowest of the day on the Western list, and but partially better on New-York Central.

After the late Boards the following quotations were made as compared with Monday night. The price of Gold fell off to 122¾ again. The Railways were generally depressed. The Public Funds steady:

CLOSING QUOTATIONS, NOV. 30.

	Monday.	Tuesday.
United States 10-40s	108⅞	107
United States 6-20s of 1862	113	113⅞
United States 6-20s of 1867	113⅞	113⅞
American Gold Coin	123	122⅞
Bills on London, 60 days	109	109⅞
New Bonds of Tennessee	80⅞	80
Old Tennessees	64⅞	63⅞
North Carolina Bonds, new	29⅞	29
Old North Carolinas	30	30
New-York Central and Hudson	88⅞	88⅞
N. Y. Cen. & H. Debt Certificates	76⅞	73⅞
Reading Railroad	94⅞	97⅞
Chicago and Rock Island	109⅞	109⅞
Northwestern Common	73⅞	71⅞
Northwestern Preferred	86⅞	86⅞
Pacific Mail Company	43	47⅞
St. Paul Preferred	80	80
St. Paul Common	81⅞	81⅞
Lake Shore	97⅞	94⅞
Erie	37⅞	37⅞
Ohio and Mississippi	25⅞	24⅞

The following bids were made for the various Public Funds of the United States:

6 ⅌ cent. reg., 1861.....113⅞ | 5-20 coup., n. 1, 1865.....112⅞
6 ⅌ cent. coup., 1881.....115⅞ | 5-20 coup., 1867.....113⅞
5-20 reg., 1867.....111⅞ | 5-20 coup., 1868.....113⅞
5-20 coup., 1862.....112⅞ | 10-40 registered.....108⅞
5-20 coup., 1864.....111 | 10-40 coupon.....107
5-20 coup., 1865.....111⅞ | 6s Currency.....107⅞

And the following for the State Bonds:

Tennessee 6s, exempt	64⅞	Alabama 5s	38⅞
Georgia 6s	90	Ohio 6 ⅌ cent.	103
Georgia 6s, new bds	88	Ohio 5 ⅌ cent.	102
N. Car. 6s, old	30	N. Y. Sup. Ct. Loan	100⅞
N. Car. 6s, new bds	29	N. Y. Sup. Ct. Loan	100⅞
N. Car. 6s, special tax	27⅞	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '71	101
S. Car. 6s, new bds	24⅞	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '72	101
Missouri 6s	89	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '73	101⅞
Va. 6s, 6 & 10 Jo. Iss	59	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '74	101⅞
Louisiana 6s	42⅞	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '75	101⅞
California 7s	112	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '76	101⅞
Connecticut 6s	99	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '77	101⅞
Rhode Island 6s	99	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '78	101⅞
Alabama 5s	40	N. Y. Gen. C. L., '79	99

And the following for the Railway Mortgages:

N. Y. Central 6s, '83	95	C. Western 1st M. 1909	75⅞
N. Y. Central 6s, R. E.	95⅞	Chic. & R. I. 1st M.	102
N. Y. Central 6s, Sub.	95⅞	Chic., R. I. & Pacific	93⅞
N. Y. Central 7s, '76	102	Morris & Essex 1st 7s	106
Erie 1st Mort., Ex.	83	Morris & Essex 2d M.	91⅞
Erie 7s, 2d Mort., '83	85	N. J. Central 1st M.	95
Erie 6s, 4th Mort., '80	75	N. J. Central s. b.	97⅞
Erie 7s, 5th Mort., '85	75	P., Ft. W. & C. 1st M.	100
H. & N. 7s, 1st M., '69-70	101	P., Ft. W. & C. 2d M.	80
H. & N. 7s, 2d M., R. F., '83	103	P., Ft. W. & C. 3d M.	56
Harlem 1st Mort.	95	Clev. & Pitts. 2d M.	92
Mich. Cen. 1st M., '69	107	Clev. & Pitts. 3d M.	90
Mich. So. 7 ⅌ ct. 2d M.	93	Chic. & Alton 1st M.	112
M. S. & N. I. S. F., 7 ⅌ ct.	95⅞	Chic. & Alton Income	85
Pac. R. Sinking Fund, '81	94	Ohio & Miss. 1st M.	92
Central Pacific Bds.	84	Ohio & Miss. Con.	82
Union Pacific 1st Bds.	89⅞	Dub. & Sioux C. 1st M	75
Ill. Central 7 ⅌ ct., '70-76	105	Peninsula R. R. bonds	80
Alton & T. H. 1st M.	81	St. L. & Iron M. bds.	89⅞
Alt. & T. H. 2d M., Pref.	70	Mil. & St. P. 1st M. 7s	100⅞
Alt. & T. H. 2d M., Inc.	71⅞	Mil. & St. P. L. G. M.	90
Chi. & N. West. S. F.	85	Mil. & St. P. 1st M.	89
Chi. & N. W., Int. Bds.	84	Mil. & St. P. L. & M.	89
Chic. & N. W. Convert.	87⅞	Marietta & Cin. 1st M.	87⅞
Con. 7 ⅌ ct., 1st M.	90	Chic. & Mil. 1st M.	90
Lack. & Western Bds.	93	Col., Chic. & In. 1st M.	75
Del., Lack. & W. 1st M.	96	N. Y. & N. H. 6s	97
Del., Lack. & W. 2d M.	81⅞	Tol., Peoria & W. R. R.	62
Tol. & Wab. 1st M., Ex.	69	Tol., Peoria & W. W. D.	78⅞
Tol. & Wab. 2d M.	41		

And the following for the City Bank Stocks:

New-York	135	Ocean	78
Manhattan	143	Amer. Exchange	106
Merchants'	138	Bank of Republic	117
Mechanics'	140	Irving	115
Union	120	Metropolitan	140
America	145	Nassau	101
City	310	Continental	101
Phenix	103⅞	St. Nicholas	116
North River	65	Commonwealth	111⅞
Tradesmen's	130	Importers' & Traders'	185
Fulton	140	Park	161
Mechanics' & Traders'	120	Manuf. & Mechanics	105
National	112	Central National	107⅞
Gallatin National	118⅞	Fourth National	104⅞
Butchers' & Drovers'	110	Ninth National	113
State of New-York	107	Tenth National	85
Commerce	122⅞	Eleventh Ward	102
Broadway	278	Oriental	150

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW-YORK, Nov. 30, 1869.

General balance yesterday	$65,785,495 10
Gold receipts	527,429 61
Gold payments	114,329 41
Gold balance	$1,082,305 70
Currency receipts	$12,202 83
Currency payments	403,723 74
Currency balance	5,618,524 71
General balance	67,321,751 32
Customs	405,000 00

Receipts and disbursements at the office of the United States Assistant Treasurer, New-York:

Oct. 31, 1869, by balance	$94,959,022 47
Receipts during the month—	
On account of Customs	9,190,801 03
On account of Gold Notes	9,752,650 00
On account of Internal Revenue	611,870 38
On account of Post Office Department	114,188 29
On account of Treasurer	8,542,030 45
On account of $3 per cent. Certificates	35,000 00
On account of Patent Fees	2,600 00
On account of Miscellaneous	12,942,720 03
On account of Disbursing Accounts	7,669,088 42
On account of Assay Office	320,476 47
On account of Interest Accounts, viz.:	
In Coin	15,002,988 04— 67,325,747 38
Payments	$161,011,909 85
Treasury notes	$80,122,581 32
Post Office Drafts	247,787 67
Disbursing Accounts	8,125,109 26
Assay Office	290,781 32
Interest Accounts, viz.:	
In Coin	15,002,988 70— 94,790,052 29
Balance	$67,221,751 32
Balance to Credit Treasurer United States	27,229,798 20
Balance to Credit Disbursing Accounts	7,298,608 66
Balance to Credit Assay Office Loan	1,708,144 36— 37,231,751 32
Receipts for Customs in the month of November, 1869	9,190,801 03
Receipts for Customs in the month of November, 1868	7,639,888 06
Receipts for Customs in the month of November, (increase,) 1869	$1,551,912 97

Statement of business at the United States Assay Office, at New-York, for the month ending Nov. 30, 1869:

Deposits of gold	$875,000 00
Foreign coin	56,000 00
Foreign bullion	12,000 00
United States bullion	507,000 00
Deposits of silver, including purchases	127,000 00
Foreign coin	65,000 00
Foreign bullion	12,000 00
U. S. bullion (contained in gold):	
Colorado	5,000 00
Lake Superior	3,000 00
Nevada	36,000 00
Gold bars stamped	1,818,782 04
Silver bars stamped	120,300 88
Transmitted to the U. S. Mint, Philadelphia, for coinage	155,062 46

PHILADELPHIA STOCK BOARD, NOV. 30.

**Telegraphed to Smith, Randolph & Co.*

	Bid.	Asked.
City 6s, Old	97⅞	
City 6s, New	101⅞	101⅞
Camden and Amboy	119⅞	119⅞
Pennsylvania Central	55⅞	55
Reading	96⅞	96⅞
Lehigh Valley	59⅞	59⅞
Catawissa Preferred	34⅞	34⅞
Philadelphia and Erie	28	28⅞
Northern Central	55	55
Lehigh Navigation	39⅞	39⅞

The following shows the earnings of the Pacific Railroad (of Missouri) during the second week in November:

Freight	$41,320 15
Passengers	24,770 40
Total	$66,309 55

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

☞ THE KANSAS PACIFIC RAILWAY LOAN.—Secured by a Land Grant of Three Millions of Acres in Kansas and Colorado, a FIRST MORTGAGE upon the proposed extension of the great Kansas Pacific Railway from Sheridan, Kansas, to Denver, Colorado, and a mortgage upon the road now in successful operation for 457 miles, and *earning more than enough to pay the interest on this new loan.* This loan runs thirty years; pays seven per cent.; Principal and Interest PAYABLE IN GOLD. There is no better investment in the market. For Maps, Pamphlets and Circulars, address DABNEY, MORGAN & Co., No. 53 Exchange-place, and M. K. JESUP & COMP'Y, No. 12 Pine-st., New-York.

☞ ST. LOUIS CITY SPECIAL TAX SEWER BONDS, twenty years to run, interest Six per Cent. payable semi-annually, at the NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, in New-York. These bonds are desirable, as a special tax is levied to pay the interest and principal. We offer fifty thousand.

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☞ FIRST MORTGAGE LAND GRANT BONDS of Lake Superior and Mississippi Railroad Company. 7 per cent. gold interest, free of United States taxes. We recommend these bonds as a safe and profitable investment, producing nearly 10 per cent. per annum in currency, and in exchange for 5-20 bonds, yielding an increase of 45 per cent. in net annual income. Pamphlets and full information furnished by

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COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1869.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pkgs	311	Rosin, bbls	2,355
Cotton, bales	8,821	Petroleum, rcd., bbls	1,240
Cotton Seed, bags	2,744	Pork, bbls	872
Copper, bbls	180	Beef, pkgs	1,183
Eggs, bbls	625	Cutmeats, pkgs	49
Flour, bbls	19,820	Lard, pkgs	377
Wheat, bushels	26,400	Starch, pkgs	20
Corn, bushels	21,000	Butter, pkgs	1,327
Barley, bushels	50,700	Cheese, pkgs	5,967
Oats, bushels	87,600	Tallow, pkgs	229
Flaxseed, bushels	70	Tobacco, hgds	94
Malt, bushels	1,100	Molasses, hhds	1,278
Peas, bushels	6,145	Rice, pkgs	128
Cornmeal, bbls	1,320	Starch, pkgs	20
R. W. Flour, pkgs	710	Tobacco, hhds	13
Honey, bbls	1,400	Whisky, bbls	640
Hides, No.	400	Wool, bales	1,000
Leather, sides	28,800	Oil Cake, pkgs	650
Spirits Turp., bbls	370		

The receipts of Produce since our last, as reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Fire-street, have been as follows:

By the steamer City of New-York, for Liverpool—1,001 boxes Cheese, 512 bales Cotton, 22,400 lbs. Lard, 15 cases Clothing, Merchandise, 15,423 Bushels Wheat, 25 tons Oil Cake.

By the steamer Silesia, for Hamburg—24 packages Hardware, 12 cases Pianos, 20 boxes Playing Cards, 100 cases Cartridge Shells, 10 cases Tobacco, 1,250 boxes Raisins, 55 cases Sewing Machines, 25 bbls. Molasses, 1 bbl. Tobacco, 400 bales Cotton, 32 boxes Clocks, 64 bbls. Apples, 7 cases Drugs, 10 bbls. Beef, 12,000 lbs. Butter, 1,000 lbs. Tallow, 30 bbls. Dried Apples.

By the bark Sagis, for Gibraltar—20,000 gallons Rectified Petroleum.

HARDWARE.—The demand has been limited, yet prices have been generally about steady: Foxe, ⅌ 8½@9⅞ ⅌ lb.; Pearls, 9@9½ ⅌. ⅌ lb.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Have been quiet, but quoted about steady, including Men's Thick Kip Boots at [illegible]

[illegible] Nov. 1, 1869, 1,000 bales Cuba Cut Fillers, 500 bales Virginia Fillers, 1,000 bales Connecticut Seconds, 1,000 bales Connecticut Seconds and Fillers, 1,000 bales Connecticut Seconds and Fillers, 1,000 bales Connecticut Seconds and Fillers

The New York Times.

NEW-YORK, WEDNESDAY, DEC. 1, 1869.

Amusements this Evening.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.
23d-st. and 6th-av.
MARTHA. (English Opera.) Leading characters by Miss Blanche Ellsler, Messrs. Haigh and Drayton.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.
14th-st. and Irving-place.
WILLIAM TELL. (Italian Opera.) Characters by Mme. Brizi, Signors Lefranc, Reyna and others.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.
Broadway and 13th-st.
HOME and IN A REGULAR FIX. Characters by Mr. Lester Wallack, Mr. Gilbert, Miss Henriques, &c.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.
24th-st., near 5th-av.
DADDY GRAY and CHEROMATE. Leading characters by Mr. E. L. Davenport and Mrs. Chanfrau.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.
23d-st., corner 6th-av.
KING HENRY IV. Leading characters by Messrs. Booth, Walter, Hamilton and Miss Fanny Morant.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
Broadway, between Prince and Houston sts.
FIRE FLY. Leading character by Miss Lotta.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
Broadway, near Bleecker-st.
DARIUS DUTTON. Leading character by Mr. Robinson.

BOWERY THEATRE.
Bowery, near Canal-st.
FAUSTUS, PANTOMIMES, &c.

THE TAMMANY.
14th-st., near 3d-av.
BURLESQUE, PANTOMIMES, ATHLETIC FEATS, BALLET, &c.

WOOD'S MUSEUM AND MENAGERIE.
Broadway, corner 30th-st.
Afternoon and evening—KENILWORTH. Large collection of curiosities on exhibition.

NEW-YORK CIRCUS.
14th-st., between 3d and 4th-avs.
EXHIBITION OF EQUESTRIAN AND ATHLETIC FEATS.

SAN FRANCISCO MINSTRELS.
No. 585 Broadway.
NEGRO MINSTRELSY. Birch, Wambold, Bernard, Backus, &c.

EMPIRE RINK BUILDING.
6th-av. and 24-st.
EXHIBITION OF THE NEW-YORK STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

SOMERVILLE ART GALLERY.
5th-av., corner 16th-st.
EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS. "THE NINE MUSES."

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☞ For the accommodation of up-town residents, advertisements for insertion in the TIMES will be received at No. 54 West 23d-st., junction of Broadway and 6th-av., at same rates as are charged at office of publication.

☞ Advertisements for the WEEKLY TIMES must be handed in before 10 o'clock this evening.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

The rumor that the Prince DE LA TOUR D'AUVERGNE, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, has resigned, is again in circulation in Paris.

The recent speech of the Emperor of the French is regarded by the London *Morning Telegraph* as liberal in promise and in tone.

The French Corps Legislatif held a stormy session yesterday, arising out of the exasperating character of the interpellations of the Opposition. Among other questions raised were the prorogation of the Chambers in September last and the "assassination of citizens," coupled with a demand for the impeachment of the Ministers.

GENERAL.

Our correspondent at Pekin writes that the Chinese Government is anxious to have it clearly understood that Mr. BURLINGAME's treaty has not been rejected, but action on it only deferred, it being thought best to wait until the results of the negotiations of the Mission with other countries were received, when the whole subject might be disposed of at once. The confidence of the Ministers in Mr. BURLINGAME is unshaken. Our correspondent also states that the Pekin College is by no means a failure, as has been asserted.

A delegation of Hebrews of Washington waited upon the President yesterday and laid before him an appeal to use his influence with the Czar for the revocation or modification of the ukase under which 2,000 Hebrew families were removed from the Bessarabian Provinces. The President replied that he would use the influence of the Government, and would lay the matter before the Cabinet, then about to meet.

The managers of the Pennsylvania Hospital yesterday resolved to appoint a Committee of five to confer with the medical and surgical staff of the hospital, to provide for separate clinical instruction to female students on one day in each week, the other clinical lectures to be confined to classes composed of males alone.

The steamships *Ontario* and *Erie*, built two years ago for the Boston and Liverpool line, but which have been idle since, were yesterday sold at auction in Boston for $256,217 each, to EDWARD F. WHITE, of WHITE & HASKEL, of New-York. They originally cost $1,200,000.

The Corporation Attorney of Washington, in the case referred to him relating to the admission of a colored girl, who is almost white, into a school for whites, declares that the judgment of the trustee upon which a ticket was granted to the pupil is final, and the holder of it may legally demand admission to the school indicated in it.

The annual meeting of the National Board of Trade will be opened to-day at Richmond, Va. A cordial welcome is offered to the delegates by the people of Richmond, who, in some instances, have taken them to their houses as guests.

First Assistant Postmaster-General EARLE has resigned on account of the inadequacy of the remuneration. He is succeeded by Mr. J. W. MARSHALL, of New-Jersey, who entered upon the duties of the office yesterday.

In a case for rent of a plantation in Mississippi, during the war leased by a citizen of that State to a citizen of Massachusetts, and for corn used thereon, and from which the lessee was driven by guerrillas, the Supreme Judicial Court in Boston yesterday gave a decision for the plaintiff, holding that the transaction was not an act of commercial intercourse, nor prohibited by any law.

It is rumored that the Spaniards in this City have been making earnest inquiries in maritime circles about the number, armaments, location and movements of our naval vessels.

JOHN BELL COURTNEY, an Englishman, said to have been connected with a New-York paper, was arrested in Baltimore yesterday on an accusation of bigamy.

On the subject of the annexation of San Domingo to the United States the London Times of Yesterday says: "From the present aspect of affairs we should be disposed to expect a treaty to that effect." Such a result, the Times thinks, would benefit all concerned, including the people of Great Britain, the latter in a commercial point of view.

Advices from Paraguayan sources represent that the main body of the Allies could not move for want of provisions, being reduced to horse flesh. The vanguard only was moving toward General LOPEZ's new position.

The Treasurer of the Avendale Relief Fund reports the total receipts to Nov. 27, to be $26,320 61.

The sentence of death of DAVID BURKE, convicted of murder in Queens County, has been commuted to imprisonment for life, by Governor HOFFMAN.

The loss by fire in Topeka, Kansas, on Sunday night, was $75,000.

A rumor, which gained credence in Havana yesterday, that our Government had caused the new Spanish gunboats here to be disabled so as to prevent their sailing, created much excitement in commercial circles.

The National Bank at Port Jervis, N. Y., was entered by burglars at an early hour yesterday morning and robbed of over $60,000 in bonds and notes. Several suspected persons were arrested in Jersey City during the day.

LOCAL.

The case of the Erie Railway Company vs. VANDERBILT was unexpectedly postponed yesterday in the Supreme Court, before Judge BARNARD, on the application of Mr. FIELD, whose presence was required at Rochester.

At the Supreme Court, Special Term, yesterday, before Judge BARNARD, an application was made, in the suit of the Erie Company vs. RAMSEY *et al.*, to make the injunction against the prosecution in the suit of RAMSEY vs. GOULD perpetual. The decision was reserved.

The Alumni Association of Brown University had its first annual dinner last evening at the Metropolitan Hotel. Hon. S. S. COX presided, and speeches were made by President CASWELL, Professor CHASE, Judge BRADLEY, of Rhode Island; Judge THOMAS, of Massachusetts, and others.

The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church of this City have formed a branch of the National Committee for the benefit of the fund of the Metropolitan Church of Washington, and held a meeting yesterday to consult on the best method of raising money, which meeting was addressed by Rev. Dr. NEWMAN.

The one hundred and thirteenth anniversary of the St. Andrew's Society was celebrated last evening by a dinner at DELMONICO's, which was attended by 200 members and invited guests, and at which speeches were made by Rev. Dr. MCCOSH, E. M. ARCHIBALD, GEO. H. CHOATE, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. NOIR, Mr. GORDON and others.

The owners of the Nicolson pavement patent have commenced an action against the City for the use of a patent which the plaintiffs allege to be an infringement of theirs. The damages are laid at $80,000.

A motion was made yesterday before Judge LOEW, in the Court of Common Pleas, to perpetuate the injunction granted against the officers and members of the Arbitration Committee of the New-York Gold Exchange. The argument was made chiefly on the ground that the plaintiffs had resigned, and were therefore without the jurisdiction of the Board.

Owing to a lack of funds many laborers have been discharged from work on the new Post Office. An immediate appropriation of $1,000,000 for the building is to be asked for by the Secretary of the Treasury on the assembling of Congress next week.

The Supreme Court, at Special Term, Judge CARDOZO presiding, has decided that the sinking fund is not entitled to the moneys received from liquor licenses, but that the same shall be distributed among the various charitable institutions named in the act of the Legislature, passed in 1866.

JOHN SCOTT, a "magnectic" physician, was yesterday censured by a Coroner's jury for alleged malpractice in accelerating the death of a Mrs. MOAN.

CHARLES HARTE stole $4,000 worth of jewelry yesterday from the store of BROWN & STAULDING, and was held for trial by Judge HOGAN.

Judge BRADY has vacated the injunction issued by Judge DALY, restraining the Metropolitan Gas Company from collecting rent from their sub-tenants on the Sixty-fifth-street dock.

The Emperor's Checkmate.

When the foes of the Second Empire are trying to persuade the world that they have left the Emperor no place to stand upon, they are suddenly surprised to find that he has cut the ground from under their own feet. This operation has now been repeated so often, that French Liberals might save themselves many disappointments by always going in expectation of it. But they are led astray by those fascinating theories about his bodily and mental ruin. They publish articles to prove that the Emperor cannot possibly live six months longer, and that he is the victim of innumerable horrible complaints, which keep him in constant torment. By way of relief to his sufferings he every now and then takes a red hot poker and cauterizes his own back. Stories of this kind circulate in every Parisian café, and are, as is well known, even sent abroad for the entertainment of foreigners. The Opposition, in fact, picture the Emperor to themselves as a worn-out, decrepit, broken-down old man. When he comes forward and makes a speech full of his old fire and vigor, and anticipates all the really popular parts of their own programme, they are of course immensely astonished. Everybody will admit that his address to the Corps Legislatif on Monday was a remarkable effort for a dying man to make.

Two things are clear—first, that the Emperor is no more likely now than he ever was to abandon the field to his enemies; and, secondly, that revolutionary schemes at present stand no chance of success. The Emperor understands the temper of the times—an advantage of which few rulers of France could ever boast. He sees quite plainly that the bulk of the French people would shrink back in alarm from any thought of a new revolution, while at the same time they earnestly desire to see liberal principles exercising a more decided influence upon the course of the Government. They want reforms, but they do not want another Republic. The Emperor's speech is a very clever echo of their own opinions. He is quite right, and they know it, in saying that "it is not easy to establish regular and peaceful liberty in France." They are alarmed at the vision of the excesses foreshadowed by the Red Republican organs. When, therefore, he says to the Corps Legislatif, "France wants liberty with order—order I answer for; help me, Messieurs, to secure liberty"—when he talks in this strain, the vast majority of the people see their own ideas caught up and forcibly expressed, and they necessarily sympathize with the speaker. The wild projects, the rough menaces, the unbridled violence of the revolutionists cannot prevail against a ruler who simply says, "You are enjoying prosperity now; trust in me, and I will secure you in the possession of it." The Emperor understands the people, and how to appeal to their interests, for better than all his adversaries put together.

The reforms which are now promised are not so thorough as the "Reds" demanded, but so far as they go, they will be extremely acceptable to the people. They are social rather than political reforms, and because they are of that nature, the poorest in the land will be able to appreciate them. The popular vote is to be rendered more powerful than ever, and the range of universal suffrage is to be extended. Measures are to be taken for the development of primary education, for placing justice more at the command of poor men, for extending the advantages of savings banks to the humbler classes—perhaps on the model of the excellent Post Office Savings Banks in England, which enable a man to deposit money in any town or village where there is a Post Office, and to withdraw it afterward in any other town where he happens to be, Government standing the security for principal and interest. Besides these measures, which are but faintly sketched in the telegram, there is to be an increase of *small* salaries in public offices; observe that it is always the middle and lower classes which the Emperor chiefly strives to please. Humane regulations are to be made for controlling the labor of children, agricultural interests are to receive attention, and the customs and excise duties will be revised. This may not be an ambitious dish to set before the people, but undeniably it is a very substantial one. It is better than anything yet offered by the revolutionists. We are told that the Emperor was frequently applauded, and that when the name of *Lanterne* ROCHEFORT was called, in the roll of Deputies, it was received with hisses. There we may see the appreciation in which both parties are held by the French people at large. NAPOLEON is preferable to a revolution. The French like to play with edged tools, and to be always talking about upsetting the Government—just as their countrywomen thought no pleasure complete unless it had a spice of wickedness in it. But they know when they are well off. The Empire is repugnant to abstract conceptions of liberty, but it keeps the people prosperous, it guarantees order, it renders property secure. The people amused themselves with the *Lanterne*, but they are not ready to exchange the Emperor for ROCHEFORT and his friends.

The Georgia Imbroglio.

There can be no doubt that the *status* of Georgia will be—as our Washington correspondent has intimated—"one of the first matters to receive the attention of Congress." Nor is there much room for doubt as to the result. The State is, in a certain sense, in conflict with the Federal Government, and with the principles and policy on which alone reconstruction can be declared consummated. The spectacle now presented is that of a State professing to be reconstructed and claiming the privileges which reconstruction involves, yet disregarding one of its essential conditions and defying the authority at whose hands the fullest liberty in respect to Federal representation is sought. The anomaly is too flagrant to escape correction.

Certainly Congress cannot be accused of precipitancy in any decisive action which may now be taken. It has waited patiently in the hope that the common sense of the people of Georgia would compel the Democratic members of their Legislature to undo the mischief which was deliberately perpetrated. An appeal having been had to the Supreme Court of the State, to determine the eligibility of colored citizens to office and to seats in the Legislature, both Congress and the country were willing to await the decision. The absurdity and injustice of the expulsion of the colored members by the Democratic majority was apparent from the outset. But the interference which that act might have seemed, on the instant, to justify, was deferred in compliance with the expressed wish that the legality of the proceeding might be adjudicated upon by the highest Court of the State, whose code furnished the pretext assigned by the majority. That decision was pronounced long ago. The Georgia Court, having reviewed the terms of the new Constitution and its bearing upon the old slave code, together with the scope and purpose of the Fourteenth Amendment, came to the conclusion that the colored man is eligible to office, and is entitled to the position in the Legislature assigned him by the electors, but denied him by the Democracy. The judgment thus rendered divested the expulsion of its only pretence of legality, and afforded an occasion for remedying the wrong by which any party not bent upon mischief would gladly have profited.

But the wrong is persisted in instead of being atoned for. Prudent counsellors in the State have here and there urged upon the parties to the expulsion the expediency of yielding to the law, and fulfilling in good faith the pledges given to the National Government. The advice has not been heeded. On the contrary, the Democratic Press and leaders have grown more and more defiant. They will not recede from the ground they have assumed. They will not restore the members expelled because of the color of their skin, nor disavow the pretension on which the expulsion rested. "At the expense of future mortification to Congress, at the expense of keeping out of a sham Union"—as one of their journals declares—they propose to stand where they are. Congress may succumb if it will—the country may assent to the violation of a fundamental condition of reconstruction if it so determine; but as for the Legislature and Democracy of Georgia, they are resolved to maintain the defiant attitude they have assumed. Happen what may, they will at least try to be masters of the situation.

This condition of things cannot be acquiesced in quietly forever. The issue raised must be disposed of sooner or later—and the sooner the better for all. It is not enough that the State is denied representation at Washington. Its non-recognition there comports with the hypothesis that its reconstruction is incomplete. But the time has come when Congress must go forward or backward; it must declare that Georgia may abrogate the conditions of reconstruction and disregard the provisions of the local organic law with impunity, or it must decide that what has been supposed to be the reconstruction of the State is a farce and a fraud,—rendering necessary the revival of military government and the renewal of the process which bad faith has for the time annulled. The remedy is harsh, and none can contemplate it without regret. But the evil to be cured is deep-seated and apparently otherwise irremediable. We are required to choose between the continuance of what is virtually a conflict, with a State nominally reconstructed playing the part of nullifier, and the enforcement of measures which shall vindicate the authority of the General Government and compel Georgia to adapt itself to the requirements which alone can render reconstruction just and enduring. The alternative is not pleasant, but it is forced upon the country by those who will probably soon begin to realize its consequences.

The Proposed Isthmian Canal.

To-day seems the time, in the affairs of an Isthmian Canal, "which, taken at its flood," may lead on to the incredited fortune of the American people. Nothing of equal importance with the inauguration of the Suez thoroughfare has occurred in the modern history of maritime Europe. That work, as we have already more than once pointed out, is attended with drawbacks incident to the difficulties, at times, in the navigation of the Red Sea and the Mediterranean. The ship canal which shall unite the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, at Panama, will offer the most inviting and propitious route ever found on the sea. While the great European Sea is in a region of calms, as its geography shows, the waters which wash the opposite shores of the Isthmus of Panama are fanned by the perpetual trade winds and gently moved by the equatorial currents running from east to west. It is very true there are many things to be considered before we can hope to begin the construction of such a canal. Twenty years ago the United States surveying expedition, in the *Cyane*, in their attempt to find a practicable route over the Isthmus of Darien, met with terrible disappointments. The experience of that party, although led by picked officers of our navy and accompanied by nearly a hundred hardy New-Granadians, proved that science and endurance and courage had been overmatched in the effort to cross the little strip of land which divides the Atlantic from the Pacific.

Whether the expedition, just set on foot by the Government to go over the ground at Darien, will report more favorably than their predecessors, remains to be seen. But since the fate of STRAIN and his men, the route by Lake Nicaragua and the San Juan River has, among others, been diligently studied. The advocates of this route claim for it the following advantages over others: Instead of fifty miles of cutting by Darien, and that of the most difficult rock, there would be by Lake Nicaragua only the eighteen and a half miles between the lake and the Pacific at Brito. The difference in level between these two waters is only 108 feet in favor of the lake, which could be met, it is stated, by locks. The depth of water in Lake Nicaragua is sufficient for the largest ships except at its outlet to the San Juan, where it would be necessary to deepen it. It is true the San Juan, before it reaches the Atlantic, would need some dams and short canals around them, but it is thought that this expense would not be so great as that on the other part of the work. The soil is not of the sandy and drifting kind that involves the engineers of the Suez Canal in so much trouble and in an immense annual outlay for dredging. The whole cost of a ship canal by this route, with harbors at either end, is estimated at $100,000,000.

A Darien or Nicaraguan Canal might or might not fairly compete with the work of DE LESSEPS as the medium of European trade. One thing is, however, sufficiently obvious. Such a structure would soon create a traffic of its own. English vessels for Hakodadi and the higher ports of Japan would have a shorter run and better seas by Darien than by Suez. The English China trade would by no means be confined to the latter route. And the American trade with the East would go *en masse* by the American Canal, the voyage by Cape Horn being by far the most tedious and dangerous known. In what respect future surveys and estimates may shape the plans, no harm can be done by pushing forward the reconnoissance. The value of our Pacific Empire, our expanding relations with the Chinese and Japanese, and above all, the completion of the Suez Canal, invest the subject with an importance it never before assumed.

The National Board of Trade.

The National Board of Trade opens its session this morning in Richmond,—and, not less from the high character of its members, and the moral significance of its place of meeting, than from the variety and value of the topics it is to discuss, its proceedings will have an importance hardly equaled by those of any similar gathering during the last ten years.

The official programme of recommendations and resolutions to be presented comprises no less than thirty-one distinct subjects; and besides these there are certain amendments to the Constitution to consider.

Among the more important topics proposed we may note, first, that of a uniform system and standard of inspection for flour, grain and produce. This topic was suggested both by the New-Orleans and the St. Paul Chambers of Commerce, who complain with justice that the present system of grading and inspecting wheat, grain and other seeds, is alike confusing and harmful to the grain-growers and dealers and to the whole people. The St. Paul Chamber of Commerce also asks for uniform testers, sanctioned by law, a uniform number of pounds of any article that is now sold by the bushel, to be fixed by law in all the States, and, if possible, a central system in transferring all commodities usually sold by the bushel,—measurement by bulk being abolished. The Executive Council propose also that "tares in all transactions shall be the actual weight of the package at the time of sale."

Another important subject is uniformity in executing conveyances of land and other legal documents, which should be common in all the States, by a just compromise or arrangement, but are now very diverse. And analogous to this is the proposition for uniformity in the laws for collection of debts. Still another of this sort is the proposed abolition of local license laws, discriminating against commercial traders and non-resident traders—a very excellent suggestion, which we have already made in these columns. And here also we may class the effort at uniformity in corporation laws, (especially the liabilities of subscribers to the stock of joint stock associations,) and the Baltimore Board's proposition for a governmental Department of Commerce.

Again, in a different class, we find many improvements in river and railway called for; and once more, the financial problems and the tariff are offered for debate, with some other subjects of less importance.

It will be observed, therefore, that the range of subjects is not only extremely wide—too wide, unquestionably, to expect justice to be done to all—but very practical. It includes not only such great questions as the resumption of specie payments and the national tax on State bank notes, and the removal of the tariff on iron and salt, but such specific ones as the passage of a law requiring all American vessels under register to carry one or more apprentices, so as to secure efficient officers and sailors for our marine.

It is to be hoped that, since so many practical topics are offered for attention, some which are connected with theoretical considerations, those on which great difference of judgment exists will either wait their turn or be so referred to committees as not to impede those which can more easily be concluded, and on which conclusions are none the less necessary.

We see another very excellent class of suggestions by the Executive Council, namely, that the constituent members of the Board shall collect and prepare full statistics of commerce, shipping, manufactures, products of the earth and exports, and publish them annually in tabulated form. Such publications would not only guide discussion and regulate judgment for the Board itself, but would destroy half the loose popular debate whose main lack is want of unquestionable information.

A Hint to the Erie Ring.

There is nothing either new or surprising in the discovery that Judge BARNARD is not peculiarly sensitive to public opinion. It is quite possible that he moves in a little world of his own, where an independent standard of morals has been conveniently invented, and where he is probably regarded as one of the brightest ornaments that ever adorned the Judicial Bench. But even in circles which hold it to be the first duty of a Judge to "look after his friends," Judge BARNARD's present position must occasion some disquietude. He has allowed every one to discern the motives which influence him. Whenever Fisk and GOULD wish to balk justice, they fly to his protecting arms. There is no disguise whatever about the transaction. We all see that persons charged with misappropriating large sums of money belonging to a public company can baffle justice by inducing a Judge to pronounce decisions in their favor. Whenever they are summoned before an honest tribunal, Judge BARNARD consents to act for them as a screen. The world has seen corrupt Judges before now, but there never was a more audacious invention than this for placing evil doers above *all* law. It is already proverbial in New-York that it is useless to take legal proceedings against FISK and GOULD, because a Judge is as much a part of their property as the theatre which, according to Mr. RAMSEY's complaint, is devoted to a variety of pleasing orgies. If a suitor applies in any other Court than BARNARD's for protection, that worthy Judge claims the power to issue an injunction as a stay of all proceedings. Practically, FISK and GOULD enjoy a code of law of their own, and Judge BARNARD administers it in obedience to their wants.

The public, we say, know all this, and yet Judge BARNARD is not afraid or ashamed to preside over a suit like that of the "Erie Railway against VANDERBILT." In another case, the Supreme Court of a different district had acceded to the prayer of a plaintiff for an inquiry into certain acts of FISK and GOULD. The defendants, as usual, called upon Judge BARNARD to shield them, and, in the teeth of one of his own decisions, he closed the Court of an upright Judge against the plaintiff. His bias is so strong and so notorious that the public believe that they may, with all but absolute certainty, anticipate what his decision will be in any case where the Fisk-Gould interest is largely involved. It would scarcely be too much to say that any trial of the kind over which he presides has come to be regarded as a mock trial. It can only end in one way. The moment FISK and GOULD place a case in his hands, they know that they are beyond reach of danger. This is much shorter work than employing counsel to argue a cause. The heroes of the gold panic go straight to the fountain head, instead of losing time over "talking" lawyers—and their confidence is never misplaced.

There were other Judges of the Supreme Court who could have heard this suit of the "Erie Railway Company against VANDERBILT." Some of them, at least, are men whose decisions could not have been positively foretold before the evidence was heard. Why should Judge BARNARD have been allowed to try the case, since he must have known that his complicity with FISK and GOULD is more than suspected? We have too good an opinion of his shrewdness to suppose that he has any great confidence in his own impartiality. He must know, at least as well as the outside public, exactly what kind of Judge he is. It is not ignorance, for instance, which led him to issue an injunction in restraint of the Ramsey suit. If it had been, Judge POMEROY would have enlightened him yesterday. "It was an attempt," said the counsel, referring to a motion for making the injunction perpetual, "to prevent the authors of an unparalleled system of fraud and peculation being brought to justice, and compelled to account for the forty millions of other people's money which they had misappropriated." That is a strong way of putting the matter, but counsel are privileged to take a certain license. We cannot get at Judge BARNARD's view of the case, because, as he has shown, his opinions are furnished ready made by the Erie Ring. But is it not worth his while, for the sake of his friends, to make some kind of effort to keep up appearances? He might, for instance, stand aloof from an Erie suit once now and then, and allow a fair-minded Judge to decide it. Tactics of this description are often employed in other fields of human ingenuity, and they are necessary to give plausibility to an imposition. A very little suit might be allowed to go for once against the Fisk party, just as the unsuspecting farmer from the country is allowed to win the first game at cards by his kind city friends. If the individuals who combine the functions of gold gamblers, railroad speculators, theatrical managers, and proprietors of the magnesium light and of certain other commodities we will leave unnamed, were wise, they would restrain the zeal of their judicial friend. He is killing the goose that lays the golden eggs. People see through the deception. The Judge presides with his tongue in his cheek, and the arch conspirators stand behind him pulling the strings. FISK himself has never produced a broader farce than that in his celebrated Opera House, and the situation is worthy of his attention as a stage manager.

The *Evening Post* sensibly talks of "revenue reform in the West," and truthfully chronicles the progress which the demand for a revision of the tariff on the revenue principle as distinguished from the "protection," which signifies monopoly, is making in that section. The St. Louis *Republican*, on the other hand, notices the desire of revenue reformers in that city to agitate for "tariff reform" rather than for thorough free trade, only to deprecate the scruples in which this preference originates. The concession of the *Post* is wiser than the obstinacy of the *Republican*. Tariff reform, on a revenue basis, is a feasible measure, and one which has multitudes of supporters in both political parties; while free trade, pure and simple, serves to drive numbers into the ranks of the monopolists. The uncompromising free trader is the best possible ally of those who would uphold the present tariff.

Possibly we may hope that, with the reconstruction of Mississippi and the establishment of a civil Government, the outrages on private rights and personal liberty that have troubled society there for nine years, will end. At present, however, the "war of races" seems to be prosecuted with great fury. We find instances of it reported from Grenada, Winona, Water Valley, and Sunflower County, there being thirteen blacks slaughtered in a single fight in the latter region. There is but one way out of these difficulties, namely, in a general consent to abide by the law and its processes, and to discountenance all extra-judicial procedures, no matter what may appear the provocation. "Judge Lynch" has always held a wide circuit along the Mississippi River, even in the most tranquil times, by reason of its rough and turbulent population. If the State expects to keep pace with its sisters, in the "new era," it must begin right here, in rendering obedience to the laws of the land.

The drowning of the passenger at Hackensack Bridge, on the New-Jersey Railroad, Monday evening, is one instance in which the zeal of a conductor cost the life of an innocent man. That the conductor had a right to demand the man's fare is unquestionable; that he was authorized to set him down on not paying his fare is unquestionable. But, on the other hand, to set him down on a perilous bridge, at night, was an outrage which in this instance amounted to crime. One report says that "before the train stopped, and in his confusion, the passenger jumped off, and plunged into the waters of the Hackensack." An eye witness of the affair, writing to the *Evening Post*, represents the conduct of the conductor as much more culpable, and characterizes the act as "one of unparalleled cruelty." He adds that this is the third instance in which a man has met his death within the last six weeks after having been turned off a train on this railroad. The Company cannot too soon change its regulations,—or its conductors.

Time is up with M. MAILLEFERT in his "set-to" with Hogg's Back and the other sub-marine monsters of Hell Gate; but we think he may fairly be allowed to go on and "fire away" again—that is, if he has already done all that his own reports claim. He has certainly, like MAX MULLER, brought out a great deal of "chips" to show for it; and as long as there are any jags and crevices in that reef the nitroglycerine will be sure to wear away the nuisance. In this business, however, we seem to lack the system of the French workers. A HAUSSMANN or a LESSEPS, with a regular plan, would not have so many checks, delays, and so forth, as we find in the Hell Gate undertaking. Still, the work will be done in our own way, and in our time; and on some day yet to come—and not so very far distant either—we shall have our inaugurations of those two great achievements of the Sound Bridge put up, and the Sound reef put down.

That selfish but quite human sentiment which leads us to derive a little consolation in misfortune from finding that others share it, may, perhaps be touched in the case of our people by noting that in England there is much complaint just now of the "fraud and corruption" of great contractors. Shoddy is not wholly an American fungus-growth; other people find sand in their sugar and chalk in their milk; Englishmen are troubled with jobbery and bribery in tunnels and railroads; the Whitechapel public works are denounced as vigorously as was over the New-York City Hall. "It is the practice," says the London *Times*, "of the profession or trade to which engineers and contractors belong, to defraud their paymasters and the public together, either by bad work, extravagant prices or dishonest connivance." While contractors offer money to get their contracts accepted in England, (as here,) or to get work inferior to the contract passed as satisfactory, (as here,) an engineer or other adviser of a company whose duty is to choose among offers of material or workmanship, receives a gratuity, under the name of a "commission," from the people he recommends. Such, we are told, is the trouble in England; and we do not cite the complaint to encourage any dishonest contractor or engineer here by assurances of transatlantic support, but rather to show that these practices bring the whole trade into disrepute everywhere, insomuch that it is for the interest of the honest and upright to expose the corrupt and fraudulent.

The analysis of the water of the East River, off the Fish Market at Fulton-street, reads very comfortably for those who love fish—and that is nearly everybody—since it exhibits the remarkable fact that the element is purer there—that is, holds less organic matter than at Sandy Hook. Nobody would have supposed this, for most undoubtedly in many parts of that neighborhood the look and smell of the water are, at times, very unpleasant indeed—especially in Summer. As these fish tanks will be always a great necessity in a city like New-York, they will only draw attention still more strongly to that terrible old barbarism of letting the foulness of half a million of people trickle into the whole, some waters about us. For the rest, we think there is no occasion for any great disquietude about our basin fishes. Our best way would be to eat them with thanks, and not consider too curiously their way of "taking refreshment."

The report of Mr. R. W. RAYMOND, Commissioner of Mining Statistics, for the current year, shows that mining in California, Oregon, Nevada, Idaho and other States has suffered from the prevalence of drought in the West, while as regards California, he thinks it may rely on cheap Chinese labor for a return to something of its former prosperity in that line of production. No doubt the "Celestials" will take with alacrity to that "fund-grubbing" business, as a German would be apt to call it; and if, in general, they would go underground and leave all agricultural and other surface work to the whites, it may be no bad arrangement. Mr. RAYMOND's suggestion of a mining school is a good one; and, indeed, the great wonder is, or ought to be, that with all our mineral achievements we have never got up such a very necessary normal institution. The wild, extemporary industry of past years has ceased to be profitable, and men must now work their mines or diggings in an orderly and scientific manner.

The *Tomahawk* lately made merry—if so grim a humor can be called merriment—over the power which the London Press claimed for itself in exposing public and social evils and nuisances, pretending that it accomplished no genuine reform. We are now told that, after so many libraries of volumes and reams of reports on the proper administration of the Poor laws, in England, three people lately died in the infirmary of St. Pancras Workhouse almost solely from filth and suffocation. There are columns of testimony to show that the atmosphere in the infirmary was nauseating and deadly in the extreme—and it was thither that these people were taken to get well. But the satirist seems answered in this instance, as the public exposure of these horrors will result in a thorough reform of this public institution.

We are assured from Washington that "the high tariff men" propose to open the canvass of their measures before Congress by enlarging the free list—a diplomatic concession to be counterbalanced by certain ultra-protective schemes for special articles. We would suggest, at the start, that the tariff question is too important, at this juncture, to be regulated by any special set of manufacturers, or any combination of such sets. Congress must act on general principles, and not on special cases. It must decide what the tariff is for; and so deciding, it must refuse to regulate any duties at the wish of a particular trade.

The keel of one of the typical first-class British war ships of the future has just been laid at Portsmouth. She bears the suggestive title of the *Devastation*, and along with her consort the *Thunderer*, to be shortly commenced, will take precedence of all the existing grades in the British navy. Her length is 285 feet, her extreme breadth 62¼ feet, mean draft 26 feet, and tons burden 4,406, old measurement. She is to be worked by two engines of 800 horse power, and her estimated speed is set down at 12½ knots per hour. She will be able to carry 1,600 tons of coal, sufficient for a three weeks' cruise. She is to be constructed on the genuine turret principle, without any attempt to unite by the addition of masts and sails, the characteristics of two distinct varieties of fighting ships. Being, then, neither adapted for a cruiser or a guardship, she is simply a floating battery of enormous power. She will carry two turrets, and on each will be mounted two thirty-ton guns, capable of throwing shot of 600 pounds weight. Her sides are to be composed of teak and iron of nearly three feet in thickness, constituting an armor plating which is intended to make her the most impenetrable ship of any navy, while her armament is claimed as the heaviest yet attempted. Owing to the absence of any work aloft, a crew of 250 men will, it is said, be sufficient to work her. She is to cost $1,450,000 in gold.

Jeff. Davis' Blunder—His Impulsive Masquerading in a Waterproof.

Extract from a Lecture by General A. H. Wilson, in Davenport, Iowa, Nov. 25.

General WILSON said that the friends of DAVIS strenuously denied that he was disguised as a woman, and he therefore detailed the proofs with considerable minuteness. Lieutenant DICKINSON states that DAVIS had a black mantle wrapped around his head, through which could be seen the locks of his hair. Captain G. W. LAWTON, of the Fourth Michigan Cavalry, asserts explicitly that DAVIS had on a lady's waterproof cloak, gathered at the waist, with a shawl drawn over the head, and carrying a tin pail. Colonel PRITCHARD, in his official report, says that he received from Mrs. DAVIS, on board the *Clyde*, off Fortress Monroe, a "waterproof cloak or robe," of dark or almost black waterproof stuff, which was worn by DAVIS as a disguise, and which was identified by the men who saw it on him at the time of the capture. PRITCHARD secured the other part of the disguise the next day. It consisted of a small black shawl, with a red border four or five inches deep, which was identified in a similar manner by Mrs. DAVIS and the soldiers. A convincing circumstance in this connection was related. In looking over the articles on board the steamer for the shawl, Colonel PRITCHARD picked out one like it, when little JEFF., a boy of 7 or 8 years, said: "That isn't the shawl my father wore when captured; I put it on myself." Splashing up the right one. "Even the friends of DAVIS," said the General, "in their efforts to explain away the story, have confirmed it in all its essential particulars. Colonel HARRISON, of DAVIS' staff, admits that Mrs. DAVIS had thrown over him a dressing gown, and POLLARD says a shawl was thrown across his shoulders."

General WILSON gave a sketch of conversation between DAVIS and himself at Macon, where the played-out rebel was very free in his expressions, concerning his own and the leading Federal Generals, entertaining a high opinion of GRANT, SHERMAN and THOMAS, and speaking of President LINCOLN in terms of great respect.

The Spanish Gunboats.

District-Attorney PIERREPONT has received no further communication from Washington, or from any other source, in relation to the matter of the gunboats, nor does he expect to receive any until after the motion for the release is heard on Thursday. It is believed that in the meantime the Cabinet will discuss the propriety of taking action on the complaints made by Señor ALZAGA and other Cubans.

THE CHINESE EMBASSY.

Interview With the Chinese Minister at Pekin.

Why Ratification of the Treaty is Deferred.

Confidence in Mr. Burlingame—Regret at the Opposition to the Embassy by the Foreign Ministers and Interested Parties.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PEKIN, Thursday, Oct. 7, 1869.

Arriving in Shanghae a few weeks ago, I was startled to find a rumor current to the effect that the Chinese Government had rejected Mr. BURLINGAME's treaty with the United States. That rumor has ere this spread all over the western world, everywhere doing damage to the prestige of the Embassy, and injury to the credit of the Chinese Government. Originating in China, it is, of course, received as authentic—few persons taking the trouble to reflect how unlikely it is that a treaty which was objected to in America as too favorable to the Chinese would be rejected by the favored party; and how improbable it would be for the Chinese Government, by repudiating the first act of their Envoys, to put the ground from under their feet and defeat the objects of their mission.

On reaching this capital I took pains to ascertain the views of the Government on this subject, calling at the Foreign Office in company with Dr. WILLIAMS, our Chargé d'Affaires. Four of the five Ministers were present, and they expressed a degree of surprise, amounting almost to consternation, on learning that such a report had obtained currency. "It is probable," said WENSIANG, the President of the Council, "that we would reject a treaty that was negotiated for our special advantage?" He was anxious to know what could be the origin of the rumor, and on being told that it was probably founded on their dispatch to our late Minister, Mr. BROWNE, on the exchange of ratifications, he produced a copy of that dispatch, and while we read the document for ourselves he favored us with his comments. "You see," said he, "that this merely defers the ratification—it does not decline it. No time or place is fixed in the treaty for the exchange, and as our Mission has not completed their work, we preferred to wait until we should have the results of their negotiations with other countries, and comparing them with each other, consider and dispose of the whole subject at one time."

As to the Mission itself, the Ministers expressed their confidence in Mr. BURLINGAME as unshaken, while they gave utterance to sentiments of mortification and disappointment at the opposition their Mission had been obliged to encounter. "This movement," said WENSIANG, "is an adoption on our part of Western usages. Hitherto China has never sent such an Embassy; and in sending this one, we expected that it would find an open road and a smooth path; but on the contrary, everybody seems inclined to throw snares and pitfalls in its way. If," he continued, "we had had a native of sufficient experience, we should have placed him at the head of it. But having no native of suitable qualifications, we chose for that position a foreigner of well-known character and abilities. The other foreign Ministers seemed pleased with the appointment, but now they seem to wish for nothing so much as the defeat of his undertaking." He referred to the adverse tone of the newspapers, inquiring if nothing could be done to restrain them from circulating mischievous reports, and added, with a good deal of bitterness: "After such an experience with our first Embassy, we shall be almost afraid to send another."

Mr. Burlingame's Credentials—Do They Differ from Those of His Associates.

Correspondence of the San Francisco Alta California.

HONG KONG, Tuesday, Oct. 19, 1869.

The most important matter which has come under public notice since the departure of the last Pacific Mail steamer, is the question of the validity or otherwise of the credentials of Mr. BURLINGAME. This question was raised some three months ago by a letter written by a Mr. JAMES R. ROBERTSON to one of the Shanghae papers, and up to that point the news has no doubt reached your readers. A few days ago the translations which are appended appeared in the Shanghae *Daily News*, which, on account of the wide difference between them, have set the public entirely agog.

OFFICIAL TRANSLATION.

"His Majesty the Emperor of China salutes (Hoi) Majesty (the Queen) of England.) In virtue of the commission We have with reverence received from Heaven, and in obedience to the Sacred Law, we members of one family, we are cordially desirous of entering on a firm and lasting basis the relations of friendship and good understanding now existing between us and the nations of Western Europe.

And as a proof of our genuine desire for that object, we have specially selected an officer of worth, talents and wisdom, ANSON BURLINGAME, late Minister at our court, citizen of the United States, a person who is thoroughly conversant with Chinese and foreign relations, and in whom, in transacting all business in which the two Empires of China and (England) have a common interest, We have full confidence as our representative and the expounder of our views.

We have also commissioned CHIH KANG and SUN CHIAKU, high officers with the hereditary rank of the second grade, to accompany Mr. BURLINGAME to England, where Mr. BURLINGAME, with the two last-named, will act as our High Minister Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary.

We have full confidence in the loyalty, zeal and discretion of the said three Ministers, and are assured they will discharge satisfactorily the duties intrusted to them, and we earnestly request that the fullest credence be given to what they may say to them, that thereby our relations of friendship may be placed permanent, and that both nations may enjoy the blessings of peace and tranquility, a result which we are certain will be deeply gratifying."

"DAILY NEWS" TRANSLATION.

"H. M. the Emperor of China to H. M. the Sovereign Ruler of (Great Britain) greeting!

Our title to universal sway has been reverently received from Heaven. (Regarding) the central and outer nations as one family, we have been considerate by nature of the law of kindness to strangers; and for the purpose of consolidating and rendering permanent the existing good understanding with them, we have made special selection of good, capable and intelligent officers to visit together (Great Britain.) Recently, the recently resident United States Minister at Pekin, Mr. BURLINGAME, who, from his acquaintance with the circumstances of both Chinese and foreigners, will, in the discharge of the duties of his mission between the two countries, prove there is reason to expect a competent exponent of our views as to what requires adjustment (lit. what is warped)—and CHIHKANG and SUN CHIAKUE, of the second grade in rank.

"The appointment of officers all taken from the class of high functionaries who are selected by reason of special adaptedness, and who are intrusted with the duty of our friendly sentiments. All three officers being, as we know, of tried fidelity, zeal and painstaking in care, they are sure to succeed satisfactorily. We do hope, therefore, that you will extend to them all frankness, so that by the interchange of unreserved confidence reason may be found for placing friendly relations upon a lasting basis—to the enjoyment by all in common of peace and tranquility, a result which will cause you, we sincerely no doubt, very great rejoicing.

Dated Chingchi, 6th year, 12th month, 6th day."

Of course, a vast number of explanations have been hazarded, but none of them seem to clear up the mystery. Four, or rather five, probably two sets of credentials have been made out, the one for Mr. BURLINGAME, and the other for the associate Envoys; the former having the naval foreign title and form, and being the one above given as the official translation, and the other being adapted to the meridian of Pekin, and keeping up that amiable spirit of arrogance and conceit which enables them to look upon the United States and such unimportant countries as lesser or tributary States.

Some of the Explanations offered.

From the China Overland Trade Report.

There is a marked difference between the two; the points being that the official translation mentions Mr. BURLINGAME as being appointed "Minister Plenipotentiary," while such a position does not appear to be assigned him by the non-official translation, and that the latter contains an expression which appears to bear out the assertion made by JAMES R. ROBERTSON, of Shanghae, some time ago, that the Mission was accredited to the "tributary nations." The exact meaning of the expression used has yet to be ascertained; but, in explanation, it has been suggested that the word *Fang*, which anciently had the signification of lesser kingdoms, has probably been used, and that more has been made of the difference than really belongs to it. Against this, however, it is pointed out that even supposing this view to be a correct one, it is still a question what is the degree of distinction that was anciently made between the two words; as, if formerly, the character *Fang* did not signify lesser or tributary nations, it is presumable that in official documents it bears the interpretation still. The other term *Kiaoh*, is that used in China herself, and is so commonly employed in polite designation of foreign nations, that a deviation from it has given their considerable significance. It is suggested by the *Daily News* that probably two sets of credentials have been made out, the one for Mr. BURLINGAME, and the other for the associate Envoys, the former having the naval title and form, and being the one above given as the official translation, and the latter being adapted to the meridian of Pekin, and keeping up the ancient arrogance and conceit of the old arrogant pretensions of China. This view would seem to explain how it is that the credentials held by Mr. BURLINGAME were, as stated by the *Times*, found to be in order; and it will remain for further investigation to show what is the true state of affairs.

ANOTHER BANK ROBBERY.

The National Bank of Port Jervis Entered by Burglars—Money and Securities Amounting to over $50,000 Stolen.

Correspondence of the New-York Times.

PORT JERVIS, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1869.

One of the most daring and successful bank robberies ever committed in this section of country, was perpetrated in this village this morning at about 3 o'clock, on the National Bank of Port Jervis, by which over $50,000 in currency, bonds and securities belonging to the bank, and individuals who had placed their bonds in the bank for safe keeping, was stolen, the burglars successfully making their escape.

The robbery was first discovered about 7 o'clock, by ANDREW THOMPSON, the bank clerk, H. H. FARNUM, President of the bank, and Parson E. FARNUM. The news soon became noised abroad, and all the morning the bank has been thronged with people anxious to learn the particulars. There are all sorts of stories afloat as to the extent of the loss, some stating the amount to be $100,000, and others still larger—all of which are incorrect. The total loss to the bank is between $35,000 and $50,000, or about one-half their surplus fund. This loss does not affect the responsibility of the bank in the least.

The bank building is one of the most solid and substantial structures in town, being constructed of stone, with iron shutters to the windows, and barred and bolted in the most secure manner, rendering it impossible for any but an expert burglar to obtain an entrance without considerable effort, which would be likely to awaken those living in the vicinity. The vault of the bank was constructed of stone, with a foundation of the same material, the entrance to which was secured by an iron door weighing about 3,000 pounds, and an inner door of solid wrought iron about three-quarters of an inch thick. The locks used on both the outer and inner doors were "Lillie's combination burglar-proof." The size of the vault was six by eight feet and it was ten feet in height, and was used as a depository of the books and papers belonging to the bank. Inside the vault were two fire and burglar proof safes, the largest of which was of HERRING's make, and the smaller one LILLIE's. The Herring safe contained the money and papers of private belonging to the bank, also Government securities, bonds, &c., which had been placed in the bank for safe keeping. Bonds and papers of value were also placed in the other safe. The entrance was effected to the bank through a back window, in the rear of the Directors' room. The iron blinds were opened by cutting off the rivets with a cold-chisel, and removing staples. The burglars next cut the inside sash, pushing in the glass and leaving the frame standing. Having obtained ingress it was an easy matter to get into the counting room.

They next placed a piece of black cambric muslin across the head-light over the front door, to prevent the light from their lamps being seen on the outside.

The next operation was to open the vault. By driving steel wedges into the side and underneath the door, they made an opening of about half an inch, in which they placed a quantity of powder, which was ignited by a fuse. The door and frame were blown completely off, and fell over partially against a desk, which was crushed and brought to the floor. The inner door was pried open by means of a bar and wedges, and the hinges cut off, which gave access to the interior of the vault.

The Herring safe, one of the best made by them, was next wedged and blown open. The bar on the inside, which held the bolts, was blown off. This safe, as stated above, contained the money belonging to the bank, the amount being between $25,000 and $30,000, which the robbers secured. In addition to the property of the bank, there was also a large amount of Government securities, bonds, &c., which had been placed by parties for safe keeping, which was deposited in this safe, the amount of which cannot now be ascertained, but is variously estimated to be from $20,000 to $30,000.

A portion of these bonds are registered so that they will not be eventually lost to the owners. About one year ago the bank gave notice to parties leaving securities in their keeping, that they would not become responsible for their safety, since which time the amount of bonds lying in the bank has been decreased.

A number of packages of coin, principally nickel cents, together with a small quantity of gold and silver, were not taken, but lay strewn on the floor of the vault. A bucket, partially filled with water, taken from Mr. P. S. FARNUM's well, was found in the room, and contained about $18 in five cent pieces, which the thieves considered too burdensome to carry.

The small Lillie safe was unopened, as either the burglars feared remaining in the bank longer or were satisfied with the spoils already obtained. The exit of the rascals was made through the window by which they entered.

This morning the appearance of the bank was one of indescribable confusion. Papers, books and records lay scattered around in all directions. The immense door of the vault lying partly on the broken desk and partly on the floor, surrounded by mortar and the implements used by the burglars in the prosecution of their work, all gave evidence of the skillful manner in which the rascals conducted their operations, and the boldness and coolness shown by them. The bank offered a reward of $5,000 for the arrest of the robbers.

Arrest of Suspected Parties in Jersey City.

A young man, who is said to be a notorious criminal, and who is supposed to have had some connection with the robbery, was taken into custody yesterday morning by Detective WILLIAMS at the Pavonia Ferry, Jersey City. On examination before Recorder MARTINDALE, of Jersey City, he gave his name as JOHN JAMES, and said that up to three weeks ago, when he went to live at No. 140 Forsyth-street, in New-York City, he had been a resident of New-Orleans. He was not certain as to the number of his house in New-York, since he had lived in the City but a few weeks. He represented that he was twenty years of age, and told a story so incongruous in detail as to suggest the possibility of its being false.

Later in the day Officer GRADY, on duty at the Erie Railway Depot in Jersey City, arrested two other men on a similar suspicion, who, when they were taken before the Recorder, gave their names respectively as JAMES ADDISON and THOMAS SCOTT.

The Recorder committed all three of the prisoners to the City Prison to await the receipt of later advices from Port Jervis.

Particulars of the Earthquake at Manila.

The following particulars of the serious earthquake at Manila, alluded to in our telegrams, were forwarded by a correspondent, and appeared in an extra of the Hong Kong *Daily Press* of Oct. 14:

"On the 1st of October, between the hours of 10 and 11 A. M., three severe shocks were felt, causing damage to several buildings; among those the barracks of one of the native regiments fell in, but without causing loss of life, although several deaths are recorded from fear, and in escaping out of the houses by jumping out of windows and down flights of stairs. Some even decline the dwellings which were little short in severity of those of 1863, but owing to the houses built since then have been rebuilt being well fortified and strengthened, there has been less loss of property.

The movement was from South southeast to North northwest, and the strongest of the shocks lasted about fifty seconds. Had this shock been a few seconds longer, the result causes one to shudder, even to think of it; as it is, there were few of the houses but had plasterwork shaken out of the crevices of walls, &c. Every roof is leaking more or less, and as this is our rainy season, it is anything but pleasant here at present. We hear that the shock slight shakes every evening, and news is coming in from the Provinces of the falling in of churches and other large buildings. Some of the old hands fear that we have not had the worst of it in Manila, but it is sincerely to be hoped they are mistaken.

The shock on the 1st was felt a very long time in Hong Kong, and the vibrations were so distinct that many thought it was an earthquake from the direction of Manila. Fortunately, we have no fear of such a visitation here, but the shock was felt very distinctly."

CURRENT NOTES.

Hon. THOMAS E. BRYAN, who has been presented the certificate of election as delegate from De Page County to the Illinois Constitutional Convention, has refused to accept it, saying his opponent was fairly elected, and that the representation which led to the rejection of a number of votes for that gentleman do not show the fact that he was really the choice of a majority of the people.

The steamboat *Robison* caught fire on the Mississippi, forty miles above Vicksburg, one day last week, but the pilot clung to his wheel, although it was scorched by the flames, and the officers and colored crew, with rare presence of mind, took means which were effectual in checking the flames, and saving the lives of the men, women and children who were passengers.

Hon. EMERSON ETHERIDGE says there has been no proposition before the Tennessee Legislature touching the rights or interests of the colored men in any way, and, moreover, that he feels assured no action prejudicial to their rights will be had.

The case of the KIMBERLY Brothers against General B. F. BUTLER came up in the United States Circuit Court in Baltimore on Saturday, but, owing to the unavoidable absence of General BUTLER and of General CALEB CUSHING, his associate counsel, was postponed until January next.

The Legislature to be elected in New-Hampshire next March will choose a United States Senator, in place of Hon. AARON H. CRAGIN, and the people of the State are already discussing the matter. He will be a candidate, but will find competitors in Ex-Congressman Mason W. Tappan, William E. Chandler, Colonel Aaron F. Stevens and General S. G. Griffin.

A Northern school-teacher in Virginia who undertook to chastise a colored young woman, one of his pupils, because she refused to bring in coal, found his match in her and her sister. They beat him unmercifully, and he then said: "Now, let us all be silent about this little matter; for if you were to tell it, it might be injurious to your characters."

Professor JOHNSON, of Trinity College, is dangerously ill.

A young man who was killed in Webster, Mass., last week, had received a few days before a letter from a lady in Maine, to whom he was engaged to be married, in which she said that she felt something was about to happen to him, and that she did not believe he would ever come home again. But how many young ladies have written just such words, only to be—disappointed.

The Law Department of the University of Maryland has been reorganized and will at once resume operations. Hon JOHN A. INGLIS, formerly Supreme Judge of South Carolina, and Hon. ROBERT N. MARTIN have been elected Professors.

Two citizens of Hartford, Conn., will celebrate their golden weddings this week. Death has not entered the family of one of them during the entire half century.

The Alumni of Harvard College have already subscribed $34,000 of the first installment of $250,000 for the fund of $500,000, proposed to be raised by voluntary contributions. Most of the contributors to the $34,000 have promised to give an amount equal to that now subscribed by them, annually for the next ten years.

In the name of common sense, of common usage, and of euphony, a citizen of Norwich, Conn., protests against the barbarism of calling that city Nor-wich instead of Nor-rідge.

A man with a wooden leg, while walking a rope fifty feet from the ground in Vincennes, Ind., last, fell to the ground and broke his leg—not the wooden one. It is said he was intoxicated at the time.

Stockton, Cal., has unceremoniously put to death a lizard measuring sixteen and a half inches in length.

A negro boy stole a doll in Petersburg, Va., the other day, and while protesting his innocence unwittingly pressed it as he endeavored to hide it more completely under his shirt. The doll gave a loud squeak, and the little negro, who had never heard of crying dolls before, turned almost white and thought a miracle had been done in his case.

The Free Trade League have published a second address, in which they assert that their ideas are being rapidly adopted in this country, particularly in the West, and they appeal for material aid that the agitation, which has now acquired momentum, may be pushed still further forward. A hundred thousand dollars now spent in agitating this question, they say, will save the country hundreds of millions.

JAMES F. HALL, of Floyd County, Iowa, has brought a suit for $15,000 damages against the father and four brothers of his wife, for abducting her and his child. They have since brought his wife and child back, and want to settle, but he says the law must now take its course.

The Legislature of Vermont at its recent session exempted from taxation for five years all manufacturing establishments hereafter erected in the State, and all their capital and machinery, and also the new capital and machinery put into buildings not now used for manufacturing purposes, whenever the capital used amounts to $1,000 or more. The bill was opposed on the ground of doubtful constitutionality, but the zeal of the State overpowered all objections.

In a recent letter JOHN STUART MILL says that the institutions of the United States are the most potent means that have yet existed of spreading the most important elements of civilization down to the poorest and most ignorant of the laboring masses. Consequently he does not fear evil from the immigration of Chinese to the slight extent which is likely.

Cincinnati and Chicago boast loudly of their differences. On the same day last week two little incidents were spoken of in papers of these cities which may here be contrasted. In Cincinnati a young lady was requested to take nine seats in a crowded street car after returning thanks for one she had not previously been offered. In Chicago a young lady, while standing in a car, was called by a gentleman to take his seat. At first she apparently did not hear him, but being again called she moved further away from him. The gentleman quietly stepped up to her and repeated his polite offer, when she indignantly refused, saying if she wanted a seat she "wouldn't ask him for it," and continued to hang on to the strap.

The Lottery Dealers.

Yesterday, on motion of District-Attorney PIERREPONT, HARLOW E. GILL was held by United States Commissioner SHIELDS in his own recognizance to await the action of the Grand Jury. The same disposition was made of several similar cases. The cases will not be presented to the Grand Jury until Mr. SPENCER, counsel for the defendants, has had opportunity to present the matter before the authorities at Washington, with a view of securing a modification of the law by which the existing managers of lotteries have a virtual monopoly of the business.

The Tobacco Frauds.

The case of CULLMANN, LEFFMAN, BUCHNER & MUNDAY, the Williamsburg tobacconists, who were charged before Commissioner SHIELDS with having defrauded the Government out of large amounts of money, was submitted to the Commissioner on the evidence by Assistant District-Attorney FUNDY, yesterday. The decision was reserved.

Metropolitan Church of Washington—Meeting of the Branch Committee of Ladies in This City.

A movement was set on foot some seventeen years ago, by prominent members of the Methodist Episcopal Church, for the establishment of a Metropolitan Church in Washington. The church was built at a cost of $200,000, of which sum $100,000 have been already raised by subscription, and the remainder of $50,000 remains as a debt upon the individuals who made themselves responsible for the enterprise. A National Committee, of the ladies of the Methodist Church, has been organized in Washington, with Mrs. President GRANT at its head, for the purpose of raising a sum sufficient to free the Metropolitan Church from debt. Branch committees are formed in other cities. Mrs. Bishop AMES, Mrs. Ex-Governor WRIGHT, formerly of Indiana, Mrs. PRESIDENT HARPER, and about fifty other ladies of this City, met at the Mission Rooms of the Methodist Episcopal Church, No. 805 Broadway, yesterday, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of conferring upon the method to be adopted for raising the money. Rev. Dr. NEWMAN, of Washington, presented the subject to them in a brief address, and an informal consultation took place among the Committee. The meeting was of an informal and preliminary character. The Mission Church has been completed and dedicated, and President GRANT and Chief Justice CHASE are among its trustees.

Y. M. C. A.

Opening of the New Hall of the Young Men's Christian Association—Grand Concert.

The sitting as well as the standing capacity of the large hall in the new buildings of the Young Men's Christian Association was well tested by the large and brilliant audience assembled there last evening. The occasion of this gathering was the grand concert given to celebrate the formal opening of that hall to the public. Apart from the interest naturally felt by a large class of our citizens in the noble work of the Association, the attractiveness of the concert announced would have been sufficient to draw a large audience to any concert. Before the exercises began Mr. DODGE, the President of the Association, made the gratifying announcement that by the receipts from the sale of the tickets not only the organ but the Chickering grand piano had become the property of the Association. The following programme was then carried out, and if encores were not always as judiciously bestowed as might have been called for, they showed the satisfaction of the audience with the labors of the artists:

PART FIRST.—1. Organ—A. Overture, b. Nocturne, "Midsummer Night's Dream;" Mendelssohn—Mr. Henry Eyre Brown.

2. Cavatina—"Largo al Factotum;" Rossini—Signor G. Bonconi.

3. Solo—a. "Morgen Grauen," Mendelssohn; b. "In quale notte;" Schumann—Miss Nettie Sterling.

4. Solo Piano—"Rondo Capriccioso;" Mendelssohn—Mr. Richard Hoffman.

5. Valse—"Bonne of Juliette;" Gounod—Miss Clara Louise Kellogg.

6. Solo—"Those Bright Black Eyes;" Kucken—Mr. Wm. J. Hill.

7. Duo—"Vogen Tonie Benedetta;" Rossini—Miss Kellogg and Miss Sterling.

8. Organ Overture—"Stradella" Flotow—William Mason, Mus. Doc.

PART SECOND.—1. Organ—A. Overture, "Rienzi;" Wagner; b. National Airs; Morgan—Mr. Geo. W. Morgan.

10. Cavatina, "Ex Tersis," Bellini—Miss Clara Louise Kellogg.

11. Fugue Organ, on themes from Organ; Hoffman—Mr. R. Hoffman.

12. Ballad, "My Head is Like to Read, Willie;" Phelps—Miss Nettie Sterling.

13. Song; Stigelli—Mr. W. J. Hill.

14. Organ, Miscellaneous; William Berge, Mus. Doc.—Miss Doe.

Miss KELLOGG, of course, carried off the honors of the evening, but it were invidious to particularize where all gave so much satisfaction.

The chief criticism to be made on the concert is that the programme was entirely too long. With regard to the organ, the kettle and bass drum features hardly add anything to the power or beauty of the instrument. The scheme of the organ will give some idea of its varied resources:

Great Manual—1. Tenorcon, metal, 16 feet, 61 pipes. 2. Open Diapason, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 3. Doraldiphon, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 4. Dulce, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 5. Clarionet Flute, wood, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 6. Flute Harmonic, metal, 4 feet, 61 pipes. 7. Principal, metal, 4 feet, 61 pipes. 8. Melliphon, wood, 4 feet, 61 pipes. 9. Twelfth, metal, 2⅔ feet, 61 pipes. 10. Fifteenth, metal, 2 feet, 61 pipes. 11. Sesquialtra, three ranks, metal, various feet, 183 pipes. 12. Trumpet, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 13. Clarion, metal, 4 feet, 61 pipes. 14. Cremona, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 15. Cornet, 5 Chimes, 7 bells.

Pedal Organ—1. Grand Open Diapason. 2. Grand Bourdon. 3. Quint. 4. Violoncello. 5. Trombone. 6. Bass Drum. 7. Snare or Military Drum, (first introduction in organ.) 8. Cymbals.

Swell Manual—1. Bourdon, wood, 16 feet, 61 pipes. 2. Open Diapason, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 3. Viol de Gambe, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 4. Dulciana, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 5. Stop Diapason, wood, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 6. Violina, metal, 4 feet, 61 pipes. 7. Flute à Chimney, metal, 4 feet, 61 pipes. 8. Piccolo, metal, 2 feet, 61 pipes. 9. Cornet, three ranks, metal, various feet, 183 pipes. 10. Cornet, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 11. Oboe, metal, 8 feet, 61 pipes. 12. Vox Humana, metal, 8 feet, 61 stops. Couplers, Pneumatic Compositions on Great Organ, Pneumatic Compositions on Swell Organ, and grand Crescendo and Diminuendo Pedal. The bellows are Messrs. J. H. and C. S. ODELL.

At the close of the concert the company present visited the different rooms of the building, already described in the TIMES.

The Association intend giving a series of popular concerts during the Winter on Saturday afternoon, the first being on the 4th. The admission fee is to be 25 cents, so as to bring these concerts within reach of all classes.

KILLED BY A POLICEMAN.

Fatal Shooting Case in Williamsburg—Terrible Scene in a North Side Tenement House—The Neighbors Grateful to the Prompt Policeman.

Between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday morning a disturbance took place in a rear building at No. 19 North Third-street, Williamsburg, which resulted in the instant death of a notorious fellow named ROBERT MOORE, by Police Officer LANGAN, of the Forty-fifth Precinct, shooting him. It appears that MOORE had gone to the house in question after a woman named Mrs. DAVIS, with whom he had been a lodger in time past. By some means a difference of opinion took place between them, which resulted in loud and tumultuous quarreling, the noise being somewhat varied by the woman shouting, "Help!" "Murder!" and "Oh, my poor head!" Such sounds were quite common, however, in that house, and little attention was paid to it on that account. But the noise was protracted, and the neighbors began to gather. It was when a goodly crowd had assembled that Officer LANGAN came along, and found MOORE standing on the stair daring him to come near him, as, if he would, he would shoot him dead as a crow. The officer, of course, did not admire such threats, and cared as little, until MOORE pulled out his pistol and fired at him. At this juncture of affairs, matters beginning to wear a more than merely threatening aspect, the officer drew his revolver and fired at MOORE with the view of disabling him. The shot took effect in the dangerous man's head, and he fell on the stair dead. The neighbors say that MOORE has long been a terror to that region. They regret that he should have come to an untimely death, but speak in the most grateful terms of the relief they feel in being rid of him. They lived in constant dread of him. It was well known, too, among them that he had a pistol about him at all times, and had often discharged it, at times two or more chambers in succession, though never doing any harm further than to scare the women and children nearly out of their senses. His purpose in carrying the weapon about, as alleged, was to shoot a man named DAVIS, the husband of the woman with whom he has lived in marital relations several months, who, since the advent of MOORE, and in consequence of the predilection of the woman, was glad to relieve them of his presence, and live a peaceable and quiet life by himself. DAVIS is described as a hard-working man, a bricklayer by occupation, and at present a resident of Harlem, N. Y. MOORE had at first entered his family as a boarder, and after a time the actions of Mrs. DAVIS and the lodger led DAVIS to apprehend that more intimate relations existed between them than was proper, which being made apparent by subsequent events, caused DAVIS to leave the pair to themselves. Since that they have lived a cat and dog life, frequently quarreling, until last night they were more than usually boisterous, and the shouts of MOORE were often interrupted by cries on the part of the woman, as already stated.

After the excitement of the occasion had in part subsided, Officer LANGAN proceeded to the Fourth-street Station House, accompanied by Mr. DAVIS and another witness of the deadly encounter, and reported the details to Sergeant BRENNAN, who, upon the arrival of Captain WOOLON shortly after, and by his direction, notified Coroner WEBTHEILL, and the body was subsequently taken charge of by Mr. PARKER and removed to the branch dead house to be prepared for interment. A jury was impaneled yesterday, and an inquest will be held this evening.

The Railroad Drowning Case.

The people of East Newark have been greatly agitated by the report of the drowning of a passenger in the Hackensack River at the New-Jersey Railroad crossing, which was reported in these columns yesterday. The drowned man was Mr. PATRICK LANE, of East Newark, and a well-known and highly respected citizen. Every passenger who witnessed his exit from the cars and heard his last shriek as he walked off the bridge concur in saying that his conduct was inoffensive and gentlemanly, and they agree that he showed no signs of drunkenness or insanity. He had left home early in the day to go to New-York, and it is supposed, had expended all his money, with the exception of about ten cents, which he offered to the conductor when he found that his ticket was lost. The conductor, JAMES PARKER, states that he asked LANE for his ticket soon after leaving the Jersey City depot; that he came along, and found MOORE standing on the stair during

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

For this season of the year yesterday was really a surprising day. At the Salesroom a large number of persons assembled, and of a very excellent class. The bidding was spirited, the prices obtained very good, and there was a general appearance of interest which was pleasing and encouraging to the auctioneers, and augures well for the coming season. If attractive property does so well now, it is reasonable to believe that after the commencement of the new year the market will be very brisk and satisfactory.

At Fordham Park Messrs. A. J. BLEECKER, Son & Co. commenced their grand Supreme Court sale of the Lorillard estate. The day was not as pleasant as might be desired, yet it was not positively disagreeable. In the morning it threatened rain. The sale was commenced out of doors, and continued until about 2 o'clock; a light, drizzly rain then sprang up, and the party adjourned to the tent. Under its cover the sale was resumed, and continued until 4 o'clock, at which time it was closed for the day. The venerable auctioneer entered heartily into the spirit of the sale. He was surrounded by one of the finest audiences that have yet attended a suburban sale, and they were earnest, interested persons—the class who attend to buy, not for a free lunch nor a day's pleasure excursion. From the commencement it was evident that the sale would be an entire success, and the results must be very gratifying to the owner and auctioneer. Mr. REUBEN J. TODD, of the firm of the Messrs. BLEECKER, was on hand, as lively as a cricket in a tar barrel; and Mr. CHARLES A. FROST, the auctioneer's very competent assistant, was, as usual, attentive and efficient. The arrangements were very complete; not an objectionable or undesirable person was present. The lunch was good and well served; there were no hitches nor delays, and the day's sale closed in fine style. The party were safely returned to the City in good condition a little before 6 o'clock. To-day will be even more interesting than yesterday. The property to be disposed of is the best of the entire estate, excellently located, in good condition, and in first-class neighborhood.

At private sale, Mr. JOHN McCLAVE sold a house and lot on Laurens-street, between Broome and Spring streets, lot 25x94, for $22,000; the house and lot west side of One Hundred and Thirteenth-street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, for $22,000, and one lot south side of Seventy-ninth-street, 125 feet west of Ninth-avenue, for $7,000.

To-day, at the Salesroom, Messrs. MULLER, WILKINS & Co. have an executor's sale of a plot of land containing an area of about fifty City lots, together with the brick and frame buildings thereon, situate on the westerly side of First-street, (the line of the Brooklyn City Railroad,) and extending to the Wallabout Channel of the East River, with a wharf frontage of about 245 feet. The property is now occupied for manufacturing and commercial purposes, is centrally located, and not being exposed to the great tidal rush of the main stream (though situate on the immediate head of the channel,) is one of the best protected and most accessible landings on the Brooklyn shore. It is in the immediate vicinity of the extensive city basins of the Wallabout Improvement, which are just completed, and near the Peck slip, Grand, and Houston-street ferries to New-York.

To-morrow Messrs. E. H. LUDLOW & Co. have a sale of valuable property on the grand Ocean Boulevard, on Park Way, recently located by the Park Commissioners, from Prospect Park to Coney Island, having a large frontage on the Prospect Park Fair grounds.

Auction Sales Yesterday.

NEW-YORK.

By Miller, Willetts & Co.

3-story brick house and lot, No. 109 West Houston-st., s. e. corner of Thompson-st., lot 25x72.2; $20,500
3-story brick house and lot, No. 99 West Houston-st., lot 25x72.2 22,300
3-story brick house and lot, No. 97 West Houston-st., lot 25x72.2 21,075
3-story brick store and lot, No. 123 Fourth-st., s., between Cedar and Pine sts., lot 19.6x103.10 24,000

By A. J. Bleecker, Son & Co.

House and lot No. 2 Carlisle-st., near Greenwich-st., lot 20x97.6 by 68.6x18x3 ..... $7,600

By James M. Miller.

1 lot s. e. of Third-st., 97.4 ft. w. of corner of Chatham-st., running through to Chatham-st., 27.10x88.1 by 25x25.6 ..... $22,000

By E. F. Raymond.

House and lot No. 246 West 22d-st., lot 27.1x98.2 ..... $20,000
1 lot s. s. of 84th-st., between 3d and 4th ave., 25.8 x102.2 9,150
1 lot s. s. of 119th-st., 266 ft. w. of 8th-av., 25x1[illegible] block 2,000

FORDHAM PARK, WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

By A. J. Bleecker, Son & Co.

6 lots on Southern Boulevard, 25x100, each $400
22 lots on Southern Boulevard, 25x100, each 400
8 lots on Southern Boulevard, 25x100, each 400
8 lots on Southern Boulevard, 25x100, each 450
20 lots on Southern Boulevard, 25x100, each 450
8 lots on Washington-av., 25x100, each 450
8 lots on Washington-av., 25x100, each 450
10 lots on Washington-av., 25x100, each 450
7 lots on Washington-av., 25x100, each 450
4 lots on Washington-av., 25x100, each 450
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4 lots on Oliver-av., 25x100, each 450
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10 lots on Oliver-av., 25x100, each 450
10 lots on Oliver-av., 25x100, each 450
10 lots on Oliver-av., 25x100, each 450
10 lots on Lorillard-terrace, between West and Bridge-sts., each 450
8 lots on Lorillard-terrace, near Low-st., each 450
10 lots on Lorillard-terrace, near Low-st., each 450
10 lots on Lorillard-terrace, cor. Ridge-st., each 450
10 lots on Lorillard-terrace, corner Fir-st., each 450
11 lots on Lorillard-terrace, corner West-st., each 450
10 lots on Lorillard-terrace, corner Orchard-st., each 450
40 lots on Southern Boulevard, each 450
21 lots on Orchard-st., each 450
21 lots on Orchard-st., each 450
10 lots on Fir-st., each 450
16 lots on New-st., each 450
6 lots on Fir-st., each 450
24 lots on Ridge-st., each 450
25 lots on Park-av., each 450
4 lots on Ridge-st., each 450
4 lots on Bridge-st., each 450
4 lots on Water-st., each 450
25 lots on Egbert-av., each 450
25 lots on Egbert-av., each 450
4 lots on Egbert-av., each 450
25 lots on Tillotson-av., each 450
25 lots on Tillotson-av., each 450
15 lots on Tillotson-av., each 450
15 lots on Tillotson-av., each 450
25 lots on Tillotson-av., each 450
24 lots on Tillotson-av., each 450
4 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
4 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
4 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
25 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
4 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
4 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
10 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
4 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
14 lots on Railroad-av., each 450
Mansion and 16¾ acres of ground 42,500
Mill, water power, machinery, and 3¾ acres of ground 27,500

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Bowery, No. 32 ..... [illegible] $10,000
Chrystie-st., No. 32 ..... [illegible]
Dry Dock-st., Dry Dock-st., Eighth-st., 11th-st., s. e. 71.7 ft. s. of Dry Dock-st., 41x[illegible] 30,000
2d-st., s. s., 125 ft. e. of 4th-av., 25 x[illegible]
3d-st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 4th-av., 25 x[illegible]
4th-st., s. s., 75 ft. w. of 4th-av., 25 x[illegible]
4th-st., s. s., 100 ft. w. of 4th-av., 25 x[illegible]
4th-st., s. s., 50 ft. w. of 4th-av., 25 x[illegible]
4th-st., s. s., 125 ft. w. of 4th-av., 25 x[illegible]
4th-st., s. s., 50 ft. w. of 4th-av., 25 x[illegible]
4th-st., s. s., 75 ft. w. of 4th-av., 25 x[illegible]
4th-st., s. s., 100

SHIPPING.

CUNARD LINE.
THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIPS
BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT CORK HARBOR.
Java, Wednesday, Dec. 1 | Palmyra, Thursday, Dec. 16
Alpine, Thursday, Dec. 2 | Nestorian, Wed'day, Dec. 22
Scotia, Wednesday, Dec. 8 | Siberia, Thursday, Dec. 23
Samaria, Thursday, Dec. 9 | Russia, Wednesday, Dec. 29
Cuba, Wednesday, Dec. 15 | Tripoli, Thursday, Dec. 30
RATES OF PASSAGE.
By the Wednesday Steamers, carrying Steerage.
First Cabin....$120, gold. Second Cabin....$80, gold.
First Cabin, to Paris.....$140, gold.
By the Thursday Steamers.
First Cabin....$80, gold. Steerage....$30, currency.
Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown and all parts of Europe at lowest rates.
Through bills of lading given for Belfast, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp, and other ports on the Continent, and for Mediterranean ports.
For freight and cabin passage apply at the Company's Office, No. 4 Bowling-green.
For steerage passage at No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building. CHAS. G. FRANKLYN, Agent.

STEAM TO GLASGOW AND LONDONDERRY.
THE ANCHOR LINE.
Favorite Clyde-built passenger steamers are intended to sail as follows:
COLUMBIA.....Dec. 4 | CAMBRIA.....Dec. 25
EUROPA.....Dec. 11 | IOWA.....Jan. 1
INDIA.....Dec. 18 | CALEDONIA.....Jan. 8
and each SATURDAY thereafter, from Pier No. 20 North River, at 12 o'clock, noon.
RATES OF PASSAGE PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.
Cabins, to Liverpool, Glasgow or Derry, $80 and $70.
Excursion tickets, good for 12 months, $150.
Steerage, to Glasgow or Derry, $30; intermediate, $35.
Prepaid Certificates from these ports, $30.
Passengers booked to and from Hamburg, Havre, Rotterdam, Antwerp, &c., at very low rates.
Drafts issued payable at any bank in Great Britain and Ireland.
For further information apply on the steamers, foot of Day-st., or at the Company's offices, No. 7 Bowling-green, New-York. HENDERSON BROTHERS.

NOTICE.—THE STEAMSHIP CITY OF BRUSSELS will sail on SATURDAY, Dec. 4, at 12 o'clock A. M. precisely, from Pier No. 42 North River. Passengers will require to be on board on Friday evening, or at 8 o'clock on Saturday morning.
JOHN G. DALE, No. 15 Broadway.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.
THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAMSHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.
The splendid vessels on this favorite route for the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50 North River as follows:
PEREIRE.....DUCHESSE.....SATURDAY, Dec. 11
VILLE DE PARIS.....SUMPOT.....SATURDAY, Dec. 25
ST. LAURENT.....LEGRIS.....SATURDAY, Jan. 8
LAFAYETTE.....ROUAN.....SATURDAY, Jan. 22
Rates of passage payable in gold, (including wine,) TO BREST OR HAVRE, First cabin, $140; second cabin, $90.
TO PARIS, including railway ticket, $145 and $95.
These steamers do not carry steerage passengers.
American travelers going to or returning from the Continent of Europe, by taking the steamers of this line, avoid both transit by English railways and the discomfort of crossing the Channel, besides saving time, trouble and expense.
GEO. MACKENZIE, Agent, No. 55 Broadway.

FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.—Inman Line of Mail Steamers are appointed to sail as follows:
CITY OF BRUSSELS.....Saturday, Dec. 4, 7 A. M.
CITY OF PARIS.....Saturday, Dec. 11, 12 M.
CITY OF ANTWERP, (via Halifax,).....Thursday, Dec. 14, 1 P. M.
And each succeeding SATURDAY and alternate TUESDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.
RATES OF PASSAGE
BY THE MAIL STEAMER SAILING EVERY SATURDAY.

PAYABLE IN GOLD.		PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.	
First Cabin	$100	Steerage, including wine	$35
To London	105	To London	40
To Paris	115	To Paris	45

PASSAGE BY THE TUESDAY STEAMER, VIA HALIFAX.

FIRST CABIN. PAYABLE IN GOLD.		STEERAGE. PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.	
Liverpool	$80	Liverpool	$30
Halifax	20	Halifax	10
St. John's, N. F., by steamer	40	St. John's, N. F., by Branch Steamer	20

Passengers also forwarded to Havre, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at reduced rates.
Tickets can be bought here at moderate rates by persons wishing to send for their friends.
For further information apply at the Company's Office. JOHN G. DALE, Agent, No. 15 Broadway, New-York.

STEAM TO LIVERPOOL.
CALLING AT QUEENSTOWN.
From Pier No. 46 North River, WEDNESDAY.

MINNESOTA	2,950 tons	Dec. 1, at 2 P. M.
IDAHO	3,122 tons	Dec. 8, at 9 A. M.
NEVADA	3,150 tons	Dec. 15, at 2 P. M.
COLORADO	2,915 tons	Dec. 22, at 9 A. M.
NEBRASKA	2,922 tons	Dec. 29, at 2 P. M.
MANHATTAN	2,868 tons	Jan. 5, at 9 A. M.

CABIN PASSAGE.....(Gold).....$80
STEERAGE.....(Currency).....$30
Saloon and State Rooms all on Deck.
Steerage Passage Office, No. 29 Broadway.
For freight or cabin passage apply to
WILLIAMS & GUION, No. 65 Wall-st.

NATIONAL LINE.
STEAM TO LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.
From Pier No. 47 North River.
FRANCE, GROGAN, Saturday, Dec. 4, at 7 A. M.
DENMARK, FORBES, Tuesday, Dec. 11, at 10 A. M.
Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $100 and $80; Steerage, $30, currency.
Steerage tickets from Liverpool or Queenstown, $37, currency.
Apply at the Company's office, No. 69 Broadway.
F. W. J. HURST, Manager.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S
THROUGH LINE TO
CALIFORNIA AND CHINA.
WEIGHT AND PASSAGE GREATLY REDUCED.
Through rates, New-York to San Francisco:
Cabin, $140 to $150. Steerage, $65, according to location of berth.
These rates include berths, board and all necessaries for the trip.
Steamers of the above line leave Pier No. 42 North River, foot of Canal-st., at 12 o'clock noon,
ON 5TH AND 21ST OF EACH MONTH,
except when those days fall on Sunday, then the day previous.
One hundred pounds of baggage free to each adult. Medicine and attendance free.
The ARIZONA, Captain MAURY, connecting with GOLDEN CITY, Captain LAPIDE, Steamer CHINA, will leave San Francisco Jan. 1, 1870, for China and Japan.
NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.
For reduced rates of freight apply on wharf. Freight for steamer ARIZONA received until 4 P. M. on FRIDAY, Dec. 3. All goods facilities afforded shippers in collecting inland charges.
For freight or passage tickets, and all further information, apply at the Company's ticket office on the wharf foot of Canal-st. F. R. BABY, Agent.

UNITED STATES MAIL TO HAVANA.
ATLANTIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
Sailing regularly every THURSDAY, at 3 o'clock P. M., precisely, from Pier No. 4 North River.
COLUMBIA, Capt. R. Vas Sick, via Nassau...Dec. 2
EAGLE, Captain J. M. Green.....Dec. 9
MORRO CASTLE, Capt. R. Adams.....Dec. 16
For freight or passage apply to
S. G. WHEELER, Jr., President, No. 5 Bowling-green.

FOR NASSAU, N. P.
CARRYING THE ROYAL MAIL.
Atlantic Mail S. S. Co.'s steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. E. Van Sick, THURSDAY, Dec. 2, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 4 North River.
For freight or passage apply to
S. G. WHEELER, Jr., President, No. 5 Bowling-green.

HAVANA, SISAL AND VERA CRUZ.
New-York and Mexican Mail Steamship Line—Sailing every twenty days, from Pier No. 47 East River, at 12 noon. The splendid new steamer
CITY OF MEXICO, Capt. DRAKE, Saturday, Dec. 4.
CLEOPATRA, Capt. PHILLIPS, Friday, Dec. 24.
For freight or passage apply to
P. HERMANDEZ & SONS, No. 22 Broadway.

FOR ST. THOMAS AND HAZEL.
UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL MAIL STEAM. PACKET COMPANY.
REGULAR MAIL STEAMERS sailing on the 23d of every month:
NORTH AMERICA, Capt. SLOCUM, Dec. 23.
MERRIMACK, Capt. WIRT, Jan. 23.
SOUTH AMERICA, Capt. THELLEFSEN, Feb. 23.
These splendid commodious and unsinkable iron mail steamers, sailing from Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio de Janeiro, going and returning. For engagements of freight or passage, apply to
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 5 Bowling-green, New-York.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.,
AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST.
GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE STEAMSHIPS AND CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA.
GREAT REDUCTION IN PASSENGER RATES TO ALL POINTS IN THE INTERIOR.
FOUR STEAMERS A WEEK,
TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY.
THE STEAMSHIPS
GENERAL BARNES, Captain MALLORY, THURSDAY, Dec. 2, from Pier No. 36 North River, at 3 P. M.
LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents, No. 10 Liberty-st.

SAN JACINTO, Captain ATKINS, SATURDAY, Dec. 4, from Pier No. 5 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 5 Bowling-green.

HUNTSVILLE, Captain CROWELL, SATURDAY, Dec. 4, from Pier No. 12 North River, at 3 P. M.
R. LOWDEN, Agent, No. 36 West-st.

VIRGO, Capt. BURLEY, TUESDAY, Dec. 7, from Pier No. 12 N. R., at 3 P. M.
MURRAY, FERRIS & CO., Agents, Nos. 51 and 53 South-st.

FOR NEW-ORLEANS DIRECT.
THE CROMWELL LINE.
The steamships of this line will leave Pier No. 9 North River, at 3 o'clock, P. M., the following days:
CORTES.....NELSON.....Saturday, Dec. 4.
GEO. WASHINGTON, GAGE.....Saturday, Dec. 11.
Freight taken for St. Louis, Mobile and Galveston at lowest rates. Cabin passage, $60. For passage, first and second class, or freight, apply to
H. R. CROMWELL & CO., No. 36 West-st.

FOR CHARLESTON, S. C., THE Florida Ports, the South and Southwest.—Regular line.
The popular side-wheel steamship MAGNOLIA, M. S. CROWELL, Commander, will sail
THURSDAY, 23 December, at 3 P. M.,
from Pier No. 5 North River, foot of Rector-st.
RATES OF PASSAGE.
To Charleston.....$15
To Savannah.....20
To Jacksonville.....25
Through bills of lading to all points south and Southwest.
Agents in Charleston (Havens & Co.) forward all goods free of commission.
A. ATKINS & CO., Agents, No. 5 William-st.
The STEAMER LIBERTY will follow in December.

SHIPPING.

FOR AUSTRALIA
VIA FERNANDINA ROUTE.
THE FLORIDA RAILROAD COMPANY WILL DISPATCH THE
FIRST-CLASS STEAMSHIP
VIRGINIA,
Captain CHERRY,
On SATURDAY, Dec. 4, from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M. Cargo delivered without lighterage at Mobile.
Having room for 1,000 tons, carrying steerage accommodations.
Insurance guaranteed at one and a half per cent. to Mobile.
Through Rates and Bills Lading given to Selma, Montgomery, and all points in the interior at LOWEST RATES than any other line.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. F. PATTERSON, Agent, No. 377 West-st., or to E. H. DRUMMOND & CO., No. 34 Wall-st.
Mobile Agents, A. J. INGERSOLL & CO.

NOTICE TO TRAVELERS.
Families or gentlemen going to travel on the Continent of Europe, who can afford the expense of a courier, should never leave Paris without one; their services are invaluable in relieving the traveler from multiplicity of cares and troubles regarding passports, examination and conveyance of luggage; in securing the best accommodations, in protecting the traveler from imposition, and an infinity of annoyances to which they are exposed in various parts of the Continent. Competent and trustworthy couriers and traveling servants may always be obtained by applying to the COURIER BUREAU, No. 8 Rue de Rivoli, near the Tuileries Gardens, Paris.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.—United States passports, indispensable to travelers, can be had of J. S. MORES, Passport Agent, 348 Broadway.

STEAMBOATS.

STONINGTON LINE.
TO BOSTON AND PROVIDENCE.
GREAT INSIDE ROUTE—SHORTEST AND MOST DIRECT.
Fare always as low as by any other line.
The new and elegant side-wheel steamers
PLYMOUTH ROCK and NARRAGANSETT,
Capt. WM. M. JONES, Capt. GEO. B. RULL,
Press Pier No. 35, foot of Jay-st., North River, at 4 P. M.
Arriving ahead of all other lines.
Tickets sold and state-rooms secured at No. 2 Astor House, and at Dodd's Express office, No. 944 Broadway. D. S. BABCOCK,
President Stonington Steamboat Company.

FOR BOSTON,
Via Fall River, touching at Newport.
WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.
The splendid steamers
NEWPORT AND OLD COLONY,
Commander LEWIS, Commander SIMMONS,
leave daily (Sundays excepted) at 4 P. M., from Pier No. 30, North River, foot of Chambers-st.
JAMES FISK, JR., President.
M. B. SIMONS, Managing Director.
D. H. VALLE, General Passenger Agent.
H. H. MANGAM, Freight Agent.

PEOPLE'S LINE FOR ALBANY.
THE LARGEST AND MOST MAGNIFICENT RIVER STEAMER IN THE WORLD,
THE ST. JOHN, DREW AND DRAW RICHMOND.
One of the above steamers will leave Pier No. 41 North River EVERY AFTERNOON (Sundays excepted) at 6 o'clock, arriving at Albany in time to connect with the Express Trains West and North. Returning, leave the Albany Steamboat Landing at 7 o'clock P. M., or on the arrival of connecting trains from the West and North. Through tickets may be obtained at the office on the wharf, and baggage checked to its destination. Freight received until the hour of departure.

TROY LINE FOR ALBANY AND TROY.—The elegant steamers VANDERBILT and COMMODORE leave Pier No. 44 North River, foot Barclay-st., EVERY EVENING (Sundays excepted), at 6 o'clock P. M. Fare only $1.50, being $1.75 less than rail, and the cheapest than any other line. Also, 25 per cent. reductions to all points Northwest and East. Through tickets at Dodd's Express, Nos. 229 and 944 Broadway, New-York; No. 1 Court-st., Brooklyn, and No. 106 West-st.

SHREWSBURY, RED BANK AND ALONG BRANCH.—The steamer SEA BIRD will leave New-York, foot of Warren-st., as follows:

LEAVE NEW-YORK.		LEAVE RED BANK.	
Thurs., Dec. 2	3 P. M.	Wed., Dec. 1	1 P. M.
Sat., Dec. 4	3 P. M.	Frid., Dec. 3	7:30 A. M.
Tues., Dec. 7	10:30 A. M.	Mon., Dec. 6	8:30 A. M.
Wed., Dec. 8	3 P. M.	Tues., Dec. 7	9 A. M.
Sat., Dec. 11	3 P. M.	Frid., Dec. 10	9 A. M.
Tues., Dec. 14	1 P. M.	Mon., Dec. 13	10:30 A. M.

FOR BRIDGEPORT, AND ALL Points on Housatonic and Naugatuck Railroads.—Pier 9t. Steamer leave Catharine-slip at 12 noon.

FOR NEW HAVEN, HARTFORD, ETC.—Pier 9t. Steamer leaves Peck-slip for New-Haven at 3:15 and 11 P. M., connecting with railroad.

RAILROADS.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.
Trains leave 30th-st. as follows:
8:40 A. M., Cincinnati and Chicago express, drawing-room cars attached.
10:30 A. M., day express, drawing-room cars attached.
4:00 P. M., Montreal express, drawing-room cars attached.
6:30 P. M., Pacific express, with sleeping cars through to Chicago without change, via N. Y. Central, Lake Shore and M. S. Railroad, (daily.)
11:00 P. M., night express, sleeping cars attached.
7:00 A. M., 2:30 and 4 P. M., Poughkeepsie trains.
9:00 A. M., 4:15 and 5:00 P. M., Peekskill trains.
1:00 and 6:00 P. M., Sing Sing trains.
6:00, 7:30, 9:30 A. M., 12 M., 3, 4:25, 5:10, 7 and 11:20 P. M., Yonkers trains.
(9:00 A. M. to Poughkeepsie Sundays.)
Nov. 15, 1869. J. M. TOUCEY, Superintendent.

FERRY RAILWAY.—TRAINS WILL LEAVE Depots foot of Chambers-st. and foot of 23d-st. as follows:
Through Express trains, at 8 A. M., 12 A. M., 3:30 P. M. and 6:30 P. M. (daily.) New and improved Drawing-room Coaches will accompany the 8 A. M. train through to Buffalo, connecting at Hornellsville with magnificent Drawing-room Coaches through to Cleveland and Galena. Sleeping Coaches will accompany the 12 A. M. train from Susquehanna to Buffalo; the 3:30 P. M. train to Buffalo and the 6:30 P. M. train to Rochester, Dunkirk and Cincinnati. An emigrant train leaves daily at 9 P. M.
For Port Jervis and Way, 4:30 P. M., Orange County Express (Sundays excepted,) connecting for Warwick, Montgomery, Guilford, Pine Island and Unionville.
For Middletown and Way, at 3:30 P. M.
For Otisville and Way, at 8:30 A. M. daily.
For Newburg and Way, at 8 A. M., 3:30 and 4:30 P. M.
For Suffern and Way, 5 P. M. and 6 P. M. Theatre train 11:30 P. M.
For Paterson and Way, from 23d-st. depot, at 6:45 A. M., 9:15 A. M., 11:45 A. M., 1:45 P. M., (daily,) 3:45 P. M., 4:15 P. M. and 6:45 P. M. From Chambers-st. Depot, at 6:45 A. M., 9:15 A. M., 12 M., 1:45 P. M., (daily,) 4 P. M., 4:15 P. M. and 6:45 P. M.
For Hackensack and Way, from 23d-st. Depot, at 9:45 A. M., 11:45 A. M., 3:45 P. M., 5:15 P. M., 6:45 P. M. and 11:30 P. M. From Chambers-st. Depot, at 9 A. M., 11 A. M., 3:15 P. M., 4 P. M. and 6:45 P. M.
For Piermont, Monsey and Way, from 23d-st. Depot, at 9:45 A. M., 11:45 P. M., *3:15 P. M., 4:15 P. M., 4:45 P. M., 6:45 P. M. and (Saturdays only) *12 midnight. From Chambers-st. Depot, at 9 A. M., 1 P. M., *3:30 P. M., 4:15 P. M., 4 P. M., *4:30 P. M. and (Saturdays only) 12 midnight.
Tickets for passage and for apartments in Drawing-room and Sleeping Coaches can be obtained, and orders for the checking and transfer of baggage, may be left at the office, 241 Broadway, cor. Dey-st., 548 Broadway; corner 125th-st. and 3d-ave.; Harlem; No. 338 Fulton-st., Brooklyn; depots foot of Chambers-st. and foot of 23d-st., New-York; No. 3 Exchange-place and Long Dock Depot, Jersey City, and of the agents at the principal hotels.
L. D. BUCKER, Gen'l Sup't. WM. R. BARR, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't.
*To Piermont only.

SOUTH SIDE RAILROAD OF LONG ISLAND.—Winter Arrangement.—On and after Oct. 25 the trains will leave the Roosevelt and Grand Ferries as follows: 8:45 A. M., mail and passenger for Patchogue; 10 A. M., for Merrick; 3:30 P. M., express to Patchogue; 4:30 P. M., accommodation for Islip; on Saturdays through to Patchogue; 6:30 P. M., for Merrick, on Saturdays through to Babylon. All trains connect at Valley Stream, except the Merrick late and early trains.
C. W. DOUGLAS, Superintendent.

NORTHERN RAILROAD OF NEW-YORK.—Trains will leave New-York by the Fourth Street Depot of Chambers-st. as follows: 8:45 A. M., 1, 3:30, 4:15, 5:15 and 5:30 P. M., and at 12 midnight on Saturdays. The 8:45 A. M. and 1, 4:15 and 5:15 P. M. trains run through to Monsey.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BROOKLYN MARKET.
Adams-st. and Fulton-st., near Myrtle-av., opposite City Hall, will open on SATURDAY, Dec. 11. A few stands still to be disposed of, and those wishing to keep open evenings can take stands in store No. 387 Fulton-st., connecting with general market. Apply on premises.

TWO DOUBLE GLUE KETTLES FOR sale; capacity about 80 gallons each. To be seen at No. 200 Pearl-st., up stairs.

F. M. SMITH & CO.,
ATLANTIC FLOUR MILLS,
Nos. 4, 10 and 12 Hamilton-av., Brooklyn, N. Y.,
New-York office, No. 11 Rose-st.
Our mills in every respect are superior to anything of the kind now in operation in the United States.
CHOICE FLOUR OF ALL GRADES SUITABLE FOR EVERY TRADE OR MARKET.

TO MARKETMEN.—SALE OF STANDS and stalls in new (Eighteenth Ward) market. By virtue of chapter 120 of the Laws of 1869, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, on the 8th day of December, 1869, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Eighteenth Ward Market, on Avenue C, between 10th and 17th sts., in the City of New-York, the leases of the several stalls and stands in said market for a term of one year from the 1st day of January, 1870.
The plans of the stalls and stands in said market and the terms of sale will be ready on the 8th day of December, and may be seen on any day at the Commissioners at the office in said market, or at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New-York.
NEW-YORK, Nov. 22, 1869.
H. K. THURBER,
FORBES HOLLAND, } Commissioners.
WILLIAM HAW, Jr.,
RICHARD B. COSSOLLY, Comptroller.

SHOWCASES, PATENT MAGIC SHOW-case Doors. HOFFMAN & PERSON, showcase manufacturers, No. 146 Chatham-st.

HELP WANTED.

TO THE WORKING CLASS.—We require persons of both all classes with constant employment at home, the whole of the time, or for the spare moments. Business new, light and profitable. Persons can make from 50c. to $5 for every evening, and a proportional sum by devoting their whole time to the business. Boys and girls earn nearly as much as men. Any person can do the work. We offer a rare chance to those who are willing to devote their time to our business, to make for themselves a good living. To those who are well satisfied we will send $1 to pay for the trouble of writing. Full particulars, a valuable sample, which will do to commence work, free and a copy of the Peoples Literary Companion, one of the largest and best family newspapers published—all sent free by mail. Reader, if you want permanent, profitable work, address E. C. ALLEN & CO., Augusta, Maine.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—WORK BY A COMPETENT woman, employment to go out by the day or whole time to take care of a baby or as invalid; can room home at night; or would take a steady situation as nurse in a fashionable family where she would be treated as a friend; best of City references. Call or address S. G., No. 60 West 26th-st., for three days.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman, a situation to do chamber work and waiting, or would be willing to assist with the fine washing and ironing; the best of City references can be given. Call at No. 152 East 35th-st., third door, for two days.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN, a situation as first-class cook; understands all kinds of meats, soups and jellies, and good bread and pastry; good City reference from her last place. Call at No. 58 West 27th-st., over the fruit store, for two days.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE AMERICAN young person, a situation with a number of families to do sewing by the week or month; or would like a position to sew and assist with light upstairs work, or assist with one or two growing children. Call at No. 348 West 22d-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS FIRST-CLASS laundress; can do French finishing; can be highly recommended as to capability. Call at No. 116 West 19th-st., second floor.

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SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—BY A THOROUGHLY RESPECTable woman, employment to go out by the day or attend to take care of a baby or as invalid; can room home at night; or would take a steady situation as nurse in a fashionable family where she would be treated as a friend; best of City references. Call or address S. G., No. 60 West 26th-st., for three days.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman, a situation as chamber-work and waiting, or would be willing to assist with the fine washing and ironing; the best of City references can be given. Call at No. 152 East 35th-st., third door, for two days.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN, a situation as first-class cook; understands all kinds of meats, soups and jellies, and good bread and pastry; good City reference from her last place. Call at No. 58 West 27th-st., over the fruit store, for two days.

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WANTED—BY A CHEERFUL YOUNG GERman girl, a situation to do housework in a small family; has no objection to go out to sew; best of City references. Call at No. 64 Clinton-st., near Houston-st., for two days.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman, a situation as chambermaid and waitress; has the best of City references. Call at No. 149 West 17th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPEtent young woman as nurse; has been in families to do sewing; best of City references. Call at No. 121 Atlantic-st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT GIRL, A situation as nurse; is capable of taking the entire charge of an infant and bringing it up on the bottle; good City references. Apply at No. 425 East 17th-st., first floor, back room.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTant German woman, as chambermaid, waitress and chambermaid or chamberwork and fine washing; City reference. Call at No. 203 West 27th-st., near 7th-av., first floor, back room.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG woman as chambermaid and waitress, or chambermaid and laundress, in a private family; has the very best of City references; willing to go to the country. Call or address No. 347 East 17th-st.

WANTED—BY A COMPETENT YOUNG girl, a situation as laundress; understands the business thoroughly; can give good references from her last employer. Can be seen for two days at No. 302 3d-av., near 27th-st.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT YOUNG woman, a situation as chambermaid and waitress, or chambermaid and assist with the ironing; good City references. Call at No. 362 East 31st-st., second floor.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS LAUNDRESS by a respectable Protestant girl, or as chambermaid and assist in the laundry; she understands fine muslins and finishing; has good City references. Call at or address No. 157 East 30th-st.

WANTED—BY TWO SMART PROTESTANT young women, situations, one as cook, washer and ironer, the other as up stairs girl and waitress; best of City reference; will go separately. Call at No. 1,234 Broadway, second floor, near 32d-st.

WANTED—BY YOUNG GIRL, A SITUATION as first-class waitress; has eight years' City references from her last place. Can be seen at No. 420 6th-av., near 26th-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL, A situation to do general housework in a small private family. Call for two days at No. 223 West 16th-st., in rear.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECtable man as first-class waiter in a private family; understands his business thoroughly; best of City references. Address WAITER, No. 81 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG woman as first-class cook; understands cooking in all its branches; good City reference. Call at No. 424 7th-av., between 33d and 34th sts.; ring bell No. 4.

WANTED—BY A FIRST-CLASS LAUNdress, with excellent City references, a situation in the City or country; does up linen in style, fluting and fineries. Call at No. 303 East 20th-st., near 3d-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECtable Protestant woman, as a first-class cook in a private family; best of City references given. Can be seen for two days at No. 27 8th-av.

WANTED—BY A GIRL, A SITUATION TO do general housework, plain cooking, washing and ironing; has been for one day at No. 338 (old number) 1st-av., second floor, front room.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECtable young girl to do general housework or mind a baby and do up-stairs work. Call at No. 326 East 34th-st., between 1st and 2d ave.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL, A SITUation to do general housework in a small family; good City references. Apply at No. 242 East 11th-st., Room No. 12.

WANTED—BY A COMPETENT SEAMstress, work to go out by the week or day; understands all kinds of family sewing and dressmaking; good City references. Call at No. 241 West 23d-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS PLAIN COOK and to wash and iron; City references. Call at No. 307 West 35th-st., between 7th and 8th ave., third floor, front room.

WANTED—A FAMILY'S WASHING, BY AN experienced washerwoman, on the most reasonable terms. Call for two days at No. 182 West 26th-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL, A situation as chambermaid and waitress; has the best of City references. Call at No. 82 West 44th-st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COLORED Seamstress, Agnes No. 132 West 26th-st., between 6th and 7th ave.; male and female.

GERMAN FEMALE SERVANTS, CAPABLE and trustworthy, constantly to be found at Mrs. LOWE'S German Institute, 1 First-st., cor. Bowery.

MALES.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN and ground by a young man, (colored,) who has the best of references and thoroughly understands his business; is willing and obliging. Call or address THOMPSON, No. 18 Irving-place.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A GERMAN Protestant young man in a store, hotel or private family; can drive a wagon; best of City references. Address CHARLES SHAFFNER, No. 328 Bowery, book store.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECtable young man as coachman or groom; has first-class City references; can be employed by the month and sobriety. Apply to GEO. E. HYATT, No. 278 Canal-st., or address Box No. 216 Times Office.

WANTED—BY A FIRST-CLASS MAN, A situation as coachman; understands his business; has the care and treatment of horses; good City references; is willing and obliging; best City references. Address G. V. COLEMAN, No. 1,263 Broadway.

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN, A SITUAtion for his coachman, whom he can highly recommend as a faithful man; married couple may will be found willing and obliging. Address WILLIAM L. TAYLOR, Esq., Box No. 227 Times Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FRENCH man in a private family as first-class waiter; has the best City reference. Address for two days, M. G., care of M. Gaudin, tailor, No. 176 6th-av., between 12th and 13th sts.

WANTED—BY A SINGLE MAN, A SITUAtion; understands all work about a gentleman's place; gardening, pruning, cows and horses; has the best of City references. Address T. P., Box No. 207 Times Office.

WANTED—BY A SINGLE YOUNG MAN, A situation as coachman and gardener; thoroughly understands his business in both capacities; has good City references. Address R. D., Box No. 216 Times Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTant Frenchman, as first-class coachman; is willing to make himself useful around the house; good references. Apply or address No. 61 4th-av., between 9th and 10th sts.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COACHMAN and gardener by a sober, steady man; can milk if necessary; will be found willing and obliging in every respect. Address H. N., Box No. 198 Times Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTant man as coachman and gardener; would milk if required; good references. Address G. R., Box No. 215 Times Office.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS WAITER IN a private boarding house or dining room by a capable, steady man; good references. Address M. M. C., No. 61 Spring-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A SINGLE man as coachman and gardener; can milk and drive horses, and make himself useful. Address R. C., Box No. 228 Times Office.

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WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

Royal Mode of Rewarding Services in Aid of the Police Widows and Orphans.

Considerable discussion is now being had among the members of the Metropolitan Police Mutual Aid Association, in consequence of an appeal recently made for a subscription for the pecuniary benefit of their President and Secretary, Messrs. W. H. LAWRENCE and HENRY WHEELER. As the members find their widows tax already sufficiently onerous, they naturally inquire how much money it is necessary to satisfy the demands of their officers, who have hitherto been quite willing to serve without any emolument. It is feared that this new movement will tend to seriously injure a beneficent co-operative movement for the relief of the widows and orphans of the Police Department, as the proposed memorial has caused considerable agitation in the Department:

The following is the appeal now being circulated among the officers:

To the Members of the Police Mutual Aid Association:

GENTLEMEN: At a special meeting of the following named delegates, held Saturday, the 27th instant, at Twenty-ninth-street and Fourth-avenue:

E. R. Lewis, Tenth Precinct, Elmer Johnson, Thirteenth Precinct, Peter A. Milbry, First Precinct, W. E. Willis, Fifteenth Precinct, Claude Cottingham, Twenty-fifth Precinct, Thomas Lynn, Eleventh Precinct, William Eastwood, Twenty-fourth Precinct, Benjamin F. J. Bandiet, Eighteenth Precinct, D. C. Carr, Nineteenth Precinct, A. McDougal, Ninth Precinct, E. P. Whitcomb, Seventh Precinct, N. Dennis, Thirteenth Precinct, Mr. Bennett, First Division, Court Squad, James L. Sherwood, Sanitary Company, R. Gambling, Sanitary Company, and others, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, that the Treasurers of the several Precincts be requested to solicit from their constituents, and collect such amounts of money as they, their said constituents, may see fit to contribute, and such amounts as may be collected in Brooklyn be paid to SAMUEL G. HOYT, of Atlantic Dock Squad, by the 10th of December next, to be immediately forwarded by him to R. GAMBLING, Sanitary Company, No. 200 Mulberry-street, and all moneys so collected in New-York be paid as above to R. GAMBLING. The said money, so collected, to be immediately equally divided by the said GAMBLING, and paid, one-half to our worthy President, W. H. LAWRENCE, and one to our worthy Secretary, HENRY WHEELER, as a token of our high appreciation of their services rendered in behalf of destitute widows and orphan children of this Association. R. P. WHITCOMB, Chairman.

DANIEL SMITH, Secretary.

The Police Commissioners will doubtless take the matter in charge and investigate it at once.

IRISH MISSIONS.

Eloquence of Rev. Dr. Price—His Visit to America, and What He Has Accomplished.

Rev. Dr. PRICE, of Wales, preached his last sermon, before his departure to Europe, in the Eight-street Baptist Church, last evening. The Doctor's mission to this country was as a delegate from the Baptist Churches of England to extend aid for the spread of the Gospel in Ireland, and in which mission he was successful to a very flattering degree. He selected his text from the last chapter of St. Matthew: "Go ye into all the world and preach the Gospel to every creature, teaching them to observe all the things that I have commanded you," and in an earnest discourse he illustrated the duty of the Church of God on earth.

At the conclusion of the sermon it was suggested by a member of the congregation that a collection be taken up in aid of the Mission to the Coasts of Ireland, of which Dr. PRICE came to this country.

In response to this, Dr. PRICE said he entertained no purpose when he came there to preach that a collection should be called for, but the object was a worthy one, and what they might contribute would be welcomed in aid of a deserving cause. ANDREW FULLER, he confessed, was the first to subscribe £5 sterling in aid of a mission to the Roman Catholics of Ireland, and from that time, through years of labor, the Society has been expending from thirty to forty thousand annually. The present time was peculiarly favorable to the prosecution of the work. The English or Protestant Church had been disendowed. Seventy thousand pounds sterling to the Presbyterian and one hundred thousand to the Catholic Colleges of that country, had been withdrawn, and all were now placed on the free footing which characterized and gave strength to the Church of the Redeemer in this country. The Society, however, also had refused to benefit its wealthy country, and facilities to the society he represented. Bishop MORIARTY had cursed the Fenians, and the Pope had cursed back. The Bishop had declared that eternal punishment was not half long enough for the rascally Fenians who came from America. The money subscribed would be used to send a better class of citizens to this country.

The collection was quite liberal, and the Doctor stated that his success throughout the States was very encouraging; that one gentleman in Philadelphia having engaged to support a mission alone, and another in Wall-street having subscribed $1,000 only yesterday, thus showing, he said, that there were yet some good men left in Wall-street.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

New-York.

The remains of an unknown man, aged 35 years, were found yesterday in the East River near the foot of Broome-street. The skull was crushed, but it could not be ascertained whether the injury had been inflicted before death or after. Coroner FLYNN ordered a *post-mortem* examination to determine that point, and the body was sent to the Morgue.

The body of an infant was found yesterday in the vault of No. 113 Monroe-street, and as it is supposed to have been purposely suffocated, Coroner FLYNN was notified.

EDWARD WICKMANN, *alias* Balser, was arraigned yesterday before Justice MANSFIELD on the charge of attempting to pass a forged check of $18, on the National Butchers' and Drovers' Bank, of this City, at the saloon of KARL KLEIN, No. 191 Bowery. The prisoner was held to answer.

Rev. R. M. GALLAHER, an Irish Protestant clergyman, lectured last evening at the Baptist Mariners' Temple, Oliver-street, to a large audience, on "Ireland and the Irish." The lecturer spoke of the peculiar traits of the Irish character, and dilated at some length on the habits, sentiment and mode of living of the lower orders of the people.

JOHN B. GOUGE delivered his humorous lecture entitled "Peculiar People," at the Cooper Institute last evening, for the benefit of the Working-woman's Protective Union. There was a large number of persons present. The lecturer was introduced by Mr. JAMES W. GERARD.

RICHARD HAYNES, a soap-fat man, was yesterday found dead in his bed at No. 421 Greenwich-street. As the deceased had lived in a very abstemious and miserly manner, it is thought that death was hastened thereby. He was found to have left nearly $12,000, for which, it is said, there are no legal heirs. Coroner FLYNN will hold an inquest.

"The Catacombs of Rome" was the subject of a lecture delivered by Rev. A. E. KITTREDGE, last evening, at the Presbyterian Church in Fifty-fifth-street. The lecturer exhibited many diagrams of pictures drawn by the early Christians in the Catacombs, and explained their meaning to the audience. A full house listened to him.

CHRISTIAN CRONINGER, of No. 339 East Twenty-first-street, died yesterday from the effects, as is supposed, of poison. It appears that the deceased swallowed a quantity of essential oil of almond, but his motive therefor is as yet unknown. Coroner FLYNN will investigate the case.

A fire occurred yesterday morning in the liquor store of JOSEPH JOURDAN, No. 209 Mercer-street, doing a damage of $200 to building and fixtures to stock. It is supposed to have been of incendiary origin, and the Fire Marshal is engaged in making an investigation.

WILLIAM CREAMER was thrown from the milk wagon of his father, in consequence of a collision with a truck at the corner of Thirty-eighth-street and Ninth-avenue, and falling under the wheels of the truck, which passed over him, was severely injured.

THOMAS SLIBEY had one of his ears badly and painfully bitten off by a dog at the corner of Bleecker and Thompson-streets. The owner was arrested.

SERGEANT DALTON, of No. 11 Elizabeth-street, and JEREMIAH WILLIAMS, of No. 22 Bedford-street, Jersey City, were seriously injured yesterday by the giving way of a girder supported by a derrick used for hoisting stones for the new building corner of ANN and William-streets.

Patrolmen EDWARD SPACKMAN, of the Fifty-sixth Precinct, and PETER DONNELON, of the Fiftieth Precinct, were yesterday dismissed from the Department by the Police Commissioners.

General GEORGE W. COLE, who was tried at Albany some time ago, for the shooting of Maj. L. H. HISCOCK, has obtained the post of clerk in the Mariner's office of the Post Office, upon a place worth about $1,800 a year, into which he was inducted yesterday.

A fire occurred last night in the window shade manufactory of A. SCHEALE, Nos. 423 and 425 West Fifteenth-street, when a damage of $50 was occasioned. The origin of the flames is unknown.

Yesterday afternoon a fire occurred in the dyeing establishment of HENRY NOAH, in rear of No. 423 West Forty-second-street, when the following losses were sustained: Mr. NOAH, on front and rear buildings, $3,000; insured in the Niagara and People's for $18,000. Mrs. EMELIE, on first floor, on furniture, $600; no insurance. HENRY NEFF, second floor, $200; no insurance.

FRANCIS McPHERSON, a jeweler, aged 67, residing at the Pickwick House, in Cedar-street, attempted suicide last evening by jumping into the North River, at Pier No. 51. He endeavored to conceal his purpose by diving underneath the dock, but the splashing in the water, as he was found to have left nearly $12,000, for which, it is said, there are no legal heirs. Coroner FLYNN will hold an inquest.

A woman named JANE TAYLOR was taken from the water at Pier No. 1 North River, yesterday afternoon, and the child died soon after being taken to the Charles-street Police Station.

DANIEL McDONALD, of No. 220 Cherry-street, assaulted DANIEL SMITH, of No. 3 Catherine-street, last evening, at a Chatham-square saloon, with a club, and inflicted a severe scalp wound. He was arrested.

Brooklyn.

Col. T. B. THORPE, of this City, delivered a lecture on the "Past and Present of New-Orleans," before the Long Island Historical Society, at the Polytechnic Institute Chapel. The lecture embraced a sketch of the natural history of cotton and the subject of its production under slavery, and the prospects of its culture under the new system of free labor.

HAGNER's allegorical tableaux exhibition will be given at the Academy of Music on Friday evening, Dec. 10, and on the following Saturday afternoon for the benefit of the Industrial School Association.

Rev. GEORGE G. HEPBURN, Rector of Holy Trinity Church, Greenpoint, has assumed charge of an Episcopal chapel on Fulton-avenue, under the auspices of the Church of Holy Trinity, on the Heights.

The Bethel entertainment to-night will be a concert under the direction of Mr. V. W. CAMPFIELD.

The twenty-sixth anniversary of the Brooklyn Division No. 12, Sons of Temperance, will be celebrated at the Brooklyn Institute this evening.

JOHN ARCHENS, of No. 336 Hicks-street, accidentally shot himself yesterday with a pistol, severely and perhaps fatally wounding himself in the right breast.

The number of visitors at Prospect Park last week was 37,705.

This afternoon the corner stone of the new chapel for the Myrtle-avenue Mission will be laid, with appropriate ceremonies.

SIMON SILVERSTEINS was taken before United States Commissioner NEWTON yesterday, charged with peddling cigars without paying license, and was held to bail in the sum of $300 to appear for examination.

Sheriff CAMPBELL is yet in Albany, endeavoring to obtain from the Governor a commutation of OWEN HAND's sentence. He is expected to return to-day. If he is unsuccessful in his effort with the Governor, preparations for the execution on Friday will begin at once.

HENRY VAUGHAN, an Irishman, giving his age as 103 years, was, at his own request, sent to the Kings County Almshouse, at Flatbush, yesterday.

There were 139 deaths in Brooklyn last week.

Westchester County.

The Sullivan property at Rye, known as the Rye Hotel, carriage houses, stables, sheds, &c., have been purchased, with a view of their removal in order to make room for the erection of a new, commodious and handsome depot for the New-York and New-Haven Railroad Company at that station, and at the same time afford more extensive accommodations for the carriages which congregate there to await the arrival of trains from the City.

Through the efforts of the Metropolitan Police at Tremont and the Fifteenth Ward of New-York, all the property stolen from Mrs. BUCKY, of Fordham, with the exception of a gold chain, has been recovered, but the dishonest laborer who took it effected his escape to parts unknown.

New-Jersey.

A fatal accident occurred last evening on Railroad-avenue, Jersey City. A couple of horses before a heavy brewery truck, belonging to Messrs. SCHALE & Co., ran away, and proceeded down Railroad-avenue, running over and killing a little child named THEODORE MONISCH.

Coroner BURNS, of Jersey City, last evening held an inquest over the body of ELIZABETH BURN, the infant who was suffocated accidentally while asleep by her little brother, who had rolled over her during his sleep. A verdict was rendered accordingly.

A young German, named JOHN BENDER, was arrested in Jersey City last evening, on a charge of having, under false pretences, procured from Messrs. MUNGER & HEINTZ, of Hoboken, a quantity of goods valued at $113. He was committed for examination.

On Monday evening the house of Mr. CHAS. THOMAS, on Johnson-avenue, Newark, was robbed of $200 worth of jewelry. The lock was picked by the thief while Mrs. THOMAS was occupied in the kitchen.

The house of a Mr. JOHN JOHNSON, at Lyndon, was robbed of a large quantity of clothing and some valuable papers on Monday night.

On Monday evening a fire broke out in a frame dwelling at the corner of Belvidere and Washington avenues, in the village of Washington, Warren County, N. J., which resulted in the destruction of five frame buildings and a loss of $20,000.

JAS. COLLINS, a farmer, living near Belleville, N. J., cut his throat on Monday night with a razor during a fit of insanity. He is still living, but it is feared that his injuries will prove fatal.

Yesterday afternoon the examination of Messrs. HENNING & BONLEACH, the Hudson City matchmakers, who were arrested charged with selling bogus stamps, was concluded before Commissioner WHITEHEAD, of Newark, and the defendants were held in $20,000 bail for trial.

Rev. G. H. PEEKE, of the First Reformed Church, in Jersey City, has accepted a call from a church in Davenport, Iowa.

JAMES CARROLL, Jr., 12 years of age, was yesterday arrested in Hoboken and taken before Recorder FORZ, of that city, on a charge of having robbed from his father $200. A couple of youths were taken into custody on suspicion of having received some part of the stolen property, but were discharged upon reprimand. JAMES was committed for trial.

Mrs. ALICE MARTIN, while attempting to avoid a car on Newark-avenue yesterday, fell into an excavation for a sewer, and sustained serious injuries.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions yesterday two boys named PATRICK SHEA and JEREMIAH MORIARTY were convicted of having stolen a pocketbook containing $98 from the clothes of ARNOLD GOODWIN, while he was in bathing. They were remanded for sentence.

JOSEPH WOLF, of Fulton-street, in this City, was hired on Monday by MORGAN & MILLER to do general office duties at a salary of $12 per week. As an earnest of his integrity he was required to deposit with his employers $200 in gold. This he did, and undertook to perform the duties of his position. When he applied for admission to the office yesterday morning, he found it closed, and all of its tenants gone. He left information of these facts at the Police Station.

The residence of Mr. CONKEY, on Belmont-avenue, in Bergen City, was entered by burglars on Monday night, and robbed of $100 worth of valuables.

FREDERICK SCHOTT, who was standing upon an overcrowded car of the Bergen City line, was thrown from his position to the street by a car moving in an opposite direction, and severely injured. He was conveyed to the residence of his brother-in-law, where he received proper medical attendance.

DANIEL LEE, one of the men who attacked Conductor GAFFNEY, of the Bergen City line of horse cars, on Sunday, was yesterday arrested in Bergen City and fined in $1,000 bail to answer. GAFFNEY is said to be recovering.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Nov. 20—11 A. M.—Consols opened at 93⅞ for both money and the account. United States Five-twenty Bonds, 1862, 84¾; 1865, old, 82¾; 1867, 83¾; Ten-forties, 81. Erie Railway Shares flat at 21¼; Illinois Centrals, 83; Atlantic and Great Western, 33.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 20—11 A. M.—COTTON—The market opened steady: Middling Uplands, 11¼d.; Middling Orleans, 12d. BREADSTUFFS—The market is firm. Flour, 28s. Corn, 35s. 6d. Pork, 82s. Lard, 73s. Bacon, 38s. Tallow, 37s. 6d. Rosin, 7s. 6d. Spirits Turpentine, 34s. 6d. Linseed Oil, 32s. 6d. Sugar quiet and steady both on spot and afloat. Whale Oil, £41 ⅌ ton.

LONDON, Nov. 20—1 P. M.—Consols, 93⅞ for both money and the account. United States Five-twenty Bonds, 1862, 84¾; 1865, old, 82¾; Ten-forties, 80¾. Erie firm. Illinois Railway Shares, 21¼; Illinois Centrals, 83¼.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 20—1 P. M.—BREADSTUFFS—Corn, 34s. 6d. ⅌ quarter for Yellow-mixed. Wheat, 8s. 7d. ⅌ cental for California White. Flour, 28s. 3d. Oats, 3d. ⅌ bush. Pork, 82s. Lard, 73s. Bacon, 38s. Tallow, 37s. 6d. Rosin, 7s. 6d. Spirits Turpentine, 34s. 6d. Linseed Oil, 32s. 6d. Sugar quiet and steady both on spot and afloat. Whale Oil, £41 ⅌ ton.

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BREADSTUFFS—The market is firm.

LONDON, Nov. 20—Linseed Oil, £32 10s. ⅌ ton. Sugar quiet and steady both on spot and afloat. Whale Oil, £41 ⅌ ton.

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